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PASTOR DIES AT PICKERING

END COMES SUDDENLY TO THE REV. H. A. DOUGHTY, 67.

APOPLEXY THE CAUSE

Minister in Usual Health Yesterday.—Funeral Plans Await Word From Relatives.

The Rev. H. A. Doughty, age 67, pastor of the Pickering M. E. Church, died at 3 o'clock this morning at his home in Pickering. Apoplexy was the cause of his death. He had been in his usual health yesterday and his death was unexpected.

No funeral arrangements had been made early this afternoon. Burial will be made at Fort Scott, Kan., where Mr. Doughty's first wife is buried.

The Reverend Mr. Doughty became pastor of the church at Pickering in October, 1926, coming from a charge at Carrollton, Mo. He entered the ministry in the Southwest Kansas conference in 1889 and continued his work in that conference until 1916, when he was transferred to the Missouri conference of the Methodist Church. His first charge in Missouri was at Unionville. Since then he has held pastorates at Maitland, Oregon, Wellsville, Hale, Carrollton and Pickering.

The Reverend Mr. Doughty was born at Casey, Ill. He comes from a line of ministers, his father and grandfather having been Baptist ministers.

He is survived by his widow, two daughters Lucile and Frances Mary at home; three sons Dr. Frank Doughty of Tracy, Cal.; Horace Alvin Doughty of Long Beach, Cal.; Donald Doughty of Eureka, Kan.; sisters, Mrs. John Boud and Mrs. Chat Rowe of Ada, Okla., and brother, Frank, of Los Angeles, Cal.

Word was received that Donald Doughty was expected to arrive at Pickering tonight. Mrs. John Irion of Harper, Kan., and Chris Smith of Kiowa, Okla., sister and brother of Mrs. Doughty, are expected to arrive at Pickering tomorrow.

A telegram was received from Horace Doughty at Long Beach, Cal., this afternoon, stating he would be unable to attend the funeral services.

Eugene Sayler Makes Human Voice Pictures

Son of Former Maryville Couple Gets Mention for Remarkable Experiment.

Actual pictures of the human voice, showing each tonal inflection, are now being prepared by Eugene Sayler, of Glendale, Cal., grandson of Judge Joseph H. Sayler and son of Mr. and Mrs. Arch Eugene Taylor, formerly of Maryville, according to the January 21 issue of the Glendale Evening News.

The newspaper states Sayler is a student in the engineering laboratory of the University of Southern California. According to Prof. Philip S. Biegler, chairman of the electrical engineering department an oscilograph machine is used to photograph the voice waves as they are transmitted to it, electrically.

"What the Glendale boy discovers in this interesting experiment will be disclosed to the next meeting of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers, to be held in Los Angeles in March.

"Sayler is a member of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers, and the Sigma Phi Delta and Eta Kappa Nu fraternities. He is a graduate of the Glendale High School of the class of 1924," the News further stated.

Henry Gordes Dies of Injuries in Accident

Farmer Near Rock Port Hurt a Week Ago When Truck Load of Hogs Overturned.

Henry Gordes, near Rock Port, died at his home this morning following an accident a week ago today when he and his son were driving a truck load of hogs to market. The truck overturned and Mr. Gordes received injuries but they were not considered serious until Sunday, when he became suddenly much worse. The son was not injured.

Funeral services will be held at Rock Port tomorrow afternoon.

Word of the death was sent to Mr. and Mrs. Martin Hartman here today. Mr. Hartman was a nephew of Mr. Gordes.

State Car Tags on Sale Next Wednesday

Chamber of Commerce Opens at 8 O'Clock.—Must Bring Titles.—No Checks Accepted.

The 1928 Missouri motor licenses, for both pleasure cars and trucks, will go on sale at the Maryville Chamber of Commerce at 8 o'clock next Wednesday morning. Everything has been prepared to handle this year's rush. With extra help, Miss Catherine Tobin, acting secretary, believes everyone will be taken care of efficiently.

Th office will remain open through the noon hour. The Chamber of Commerce will close at 5 o'clock. The same schedule will be followed throughout the month.

Before a license will be issued the owner of a car or truck must present his title.

No checks will be accepted as payment for licenses. The applicant must present cash.

SEELY-CARTER TRIAL TODAY

RENTER SUES FOR WAGES, CORN MONEY ALLEGED DUE.

ANSWER BANKS CLAIM

Prosecutors Says This Court Has No Jurisdiction In Action to Enjoin Collection of Taxes.

The third jury of the January term of circuit court, was drawn this morning to hear the account suit brought by Ora Seely against Elihu Carter.

Seeley, who was a tenant on the Carter farm along the highway east of Burlington Junction, claims there is due to him from the defendant a total of $1,769.34 for wages, corn sold to Carter, and damages to Seely's corn caused by the defendant's cattle, according to the petition, filed October 7, 1927.

Seely gives 1923, '24, '25, '26, as the years in which he did work for the defendant for which he claims has not been paid in full.

The jury drawn in the Seely-Carter case:

O. O. Gregory, George Westfall, John Luke, R. N. Bancroft, Fred Daniels, Claude Wohlford, Ed Cummins, Clarence Headrick, M. E. Bell, J. H. Thompson, J. F. Brown, and A. B. Crater.

Collectors File Answers.

The various township collectors of the county, against whom petitions have been filed by the banks of the county to enjoin collection of the full amount of the 1927 taxes on bank stock, yesterday and today filed answers to the petitions of the banks.

The answers, filed in circuit court by Prosecuting Attorney George P. Wright, claim that the circuit court of Nodaway County has no jurisdiction in the action, as the banks seek to change assessments as approved by the State Board of Equalization, which is located in Jefferson City, Cole county. Futhermore, the answers state that there is a defect in the petitions of the banks, as the State Board of Equalization has not been joined as a party to the suits.

W. N. Deatherage, one of the attorneys for the banks, went to Jefferson City last night to take the deposition of North T. Gentry, attorney general. Mr. Deatherage will return home tomorrow noon.

Family Ill, Prisoner Freed.

Edward Morehouse, near Pickering, who was sentenced to three months in the county jail and fined $200 when he pleaded guilty to a liquor charge, was released on a stay of execution today because of scarlet fever in his family. The circuit court order stated that it appearing to the court that the family of the defendant is ill with scarlet fever and quarantined and no one with them to look after them, stay of execution for thirty days is granted. Morehouse furnished a $1,000 bond with Bert Baldwin, J. A. Farquher and Gertie Morehouse as securities. This has been reported to the county health department.

Goes Home Monday.

Miss Charlene Adkins, Elmo, a patient at the St. Francis hospital where she had been receiving treatment for an infected knee, is improving and will be able to return home Monday, it was stated today. X-ray pictures of the knee showed that there was no infection in the limb.

Charles Buhler went to St. Joseph this morning on a business trip.

PAIRINGS FOR SECOND ROUND

MARYVILLE DEBATE TEAM TO MEET ST. JOSEPH CENTRAL.

NEXT FRIDAY MORNING

Easton, Smithville and Cameron Other Opponents—Barnard's Debate Postponed.

Pairings for the second round of the state league debate series, composed of winners from the first round, have been made and Maryville high school is scheduled to debate Central High School, St. Joseph, next Friday morning.

The debate will take place in St. Joseph at 11 o'clock. Maryville will take the affirmative side of the question. Buster King and Ford Bradley will compose the local team.

Maryville has been paired for three other debates in the second round all of which take place regardless of victory or defeat in any one of them. Maryville is scheduled to debate Eastern on February 10; Smithville, February 17, and Cameron, February 24. The schools winning the greatest number of debates will be paired for their third round.

Mrs. Vern Manley, debate coach, has received a copy of the results of the debates in the first round of the state series in this section of the state. They follow:

District 1: Elmo, won one debate and lost three; Maryville, won four, lost none; Barnard, won three, lost one; Craig, won two, lost two; Mound City, won one, lost three.

District 2: Amity, won one, lost two; Osborn, won one, lost two; Cameron, won three, lost one; Maysville, won two, lost two.

District 3: Converse, lost three; Excelsior Springs, won two, lost one; Liberty, won one; lost two; Smithville, won three.

District 4: Easton, won two; Faucett, won one, lost one; Weston, lost two.

District 5: Benton, St. Joseph, won one, lost one; Central, St. Joseph, won two; Christian Brothers high school, lost two.

In twenty-two debates in which judges' decisions were given, the affirmative won fifteen times and the negative eight, showing apparently that the affirmative is the stronger side.

Last night five students of the Maryville high school interested in forensic work accompanied by Mrs. Vern Manley drove to Bedford, Ia., and attended a debate there between Bedford and Mount Ayr. A two to one decision was given in favor of the Mount Ayr team.

Miss Blake and Miss Meredith were the Bedford debaters. Miss Fuller and Miss Tigert composed the Mount Ayr team. The judges were Roscoe Applegate and Miss Giles, Clarinda, and H. E. Dow, of Villisca.

Those from Maryville who attended the debate were Marvin Shamberger, Fred Shamberger, Ford Bradley, Buster King, Helen Busby and Mrs. Manley.

The debate scheduled for last night in the district league series for Barnard and Martinsville has been postponed until a later date.

Mrs. J. E. Williams Dies at Quitman

Husband and Four Children Survive; Second Stroke Monday Ends an Extended Illness.

Mrs. J. E. Williams, about 75 years old, died at her home at the edge of Quitman at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon following an extended illness. Mrs. Williams became worse Monday when she suffered a second stroke of paralysis.

Survivors are the husband, four children, Byron Williams, manager of the telephone company at Quitman, Mrs. Bud Wilcox at Clearmont, Arthur Williams, Clarinda, Ia., and William Williams, South Dakota; a granddaughter, Mrs. Opie Ross, Quitman, was reared by Mr. and Mrs. Williams.

High School Youths Killed in Air Crash

McClean, Tex., Jan. 27.—Two high school youths were killed near here Thursday when the airplane in which they were passengers crashed.

Donald Moring and William Miller, both 18, were riding with Harold English, Amarillo, Tex., flyer, when the plane went into a nose dive.

English was only slightly injured.

PICTURES ON HOME RADIO ARE NEARER

Test Made From Station WEAF Produces Photo With New Equipment Added to Standard Set.

New York, Jan. 27—Broadcasting of photographs and other printed matter for regular reception on home radio sets was a step nearer realization today.

A practical demonstration of new photo-radio equipment invented by Dr. E. F. W. Alexanderson of the General Electric Company was given at 5 p. m. yesterday, when a squeal vibrated out of Station WEAF on a 492 meter wave. After 90 seconds, listeners-in were informed that picture of Mayor Walker had just been broadcast.

The picture was received at the home of Dr. Alexanderson on his equipment, attached to a standard receiving set. The radio photograph was 4½ inches wide and 8 inches long.

TO ORGANIZE SCOUT COURT

ELEVEN MEN NAMED TO SERVE ON AWARDING BODY.

WANT MORE TROOPS

Executive of St. Joseph Area Visits City, Says Scouting Will Be "Put Over" Better.

A Court of Honor for the Boy Scouts of Maryville will be organized tonight. Eleven men have been appointed to serve with the body and will select officers tonight.

The court of honor is the awarding body in Scouting after boys have passed certain tests for merit badges.

H. Max Nusser, assistant scout executive of the St. Joseph area council of the Boy Scouts of America, was in Maryville today and assisted John Mutz, scoutmaster, in forming the court.

The men appointed are Martin Lewis, jr., W. N. Deatherage, Phares O. Sigler, Charles Gaugh, the Rev. W. S. Woodhull, Fred Wolfers, Dr. R. C. Person, the Rev. Guy L. Prather, the Rev. William N. Dewar, the Rev. R. A. Mitchell, and Mr. Mutz.

The court of honor will meet once a month.

Mr. Nusser began fundamental work toward the organization of from three to five more Boy Scout troops in Maryville. Ultimately it is hoped that a troop may be organized in each church. The boy population of Maryville makes such an arrangement entirely feasible, Mr. Nusser said.

Nodaway County is included in the St. Joseph area, which includes fifteen counties of Northwest Missouri and three counties in Kansas. Mr. Nusser is in entire charge of this territory as field worker. H. Roe Bartles, is chief Scout executive of this district.

All boys in the area are entitled to attend the Boy Scout camp later in the year, and to take part in all other scout activities.

In connection with expanding the organization here, new leaders will be developed and trained, Mr. Nusser said.

Activities planned for this summer are "designed to put Scouting over" in Maryville, he said. He complimented Scoutmaster Mutz, declaring he "is doing splendid work here."

A Member for Each Year in Anniversary

County M. W. A. Meets Here Tonight and Will Receive 45 Candidates.

The County Association of the Modern Woodmen of America will meet in Maryville tonight at the Odd Fellows Hall. It is the regular month-ly meeting, the fourth one to be held this winter. The association will observe the forty-fifth anniversary of the M. W. A. Lodge. As it is also the fifty-fifth birthday anniversary of Charles Hays, district deputy, another observance will take place.

The association plans to invite forty-five new candidates, one for each year represented in the anniversary. The drill team from Bedford, Ia., will put on the work.

A supper will be served following the degree work. The balance of the initiation fee of the members to be taken in tonight will be turned over to the Northwest Missouri Log Rolling Association.

SHIPPING BILL VOTE BLOCKED

UNANIMOUS CONSENT IS DENIED IN SENATE.

PASSAGE IS PREDICTED

Provides Continued Government Operation—Amendments to Radio Law Proposed.

Washington, Jan. 27.—Efforts to fix Monday for a final vote on the Jones shipping bill were blocked in the Senate today by Senator Shortridge, Republican, California.

In retaliation for Shortridge's refusal to enter a unanimous consent agreement for the vote, Chairman Jones of the commerce committee announced he would keep the Senate in session tomorrow, though some members desired a recess for the week-end.

Passage of the Jones bill, providing for continued government operation of the merchant marine, was predicted by its porponents today following adoption, 51 to 25, of a committee amendment.

The amendment provides that government-owned ships cannot be sold without unanimous vote of the shipping board. Opponents of the amendment say the unanimous consent provision will delay idefinitely sale of the merchant marine to private interests.

Amend S-4 Resolution.

Washington, Jan. 27.—The Senate today amended the House resolution for investigation of the S-4 disaster to provide that the inquiry shall be conducted by a joint congressional committee rather than a special commission appointed by the president.

The vote was 51 to 32 on the amendment, which was offered by Senator Swanson, Democrat, Va.

Would Continue Radio Board.

Washington, Jan. 27.—Four amendments to the radio law designed to continue the federal radio commission, under certain restrictions, until March 15, 1929, were introduced in the Senate today by Senator Dill, Democrat, Washington.

The commission would be empowered to change terms of chain broadcasting licenses at any time under one amendment. Another would provide that broadcasting licenses be limited to a six months period. A third amendment would make it unlawful for any firm to limit the use of radio tubes or equipment or to fix their resale value. The fourth continues the commission for another year.

Lindy's Flight Today Is a Dangerous One

Only One Man Has Succeeded in Making Trip From Cartagena to Bogota; Sighted at 1 p. m.

Bogata, Colombia, Jan. 27. — Col. Charles A. Lindbergh's "Spirit of St. Louis" was seen passing over Puerto Berrio, 125 miles north of Bogata, shortly before 1 p. m. today.

News of the aviator's progress along his dangerous course was received with cheers by the great crowd awaiting him, restive behind lines of soldiers and police, at Madrid Field here.

This morning the road to Madrid flying field, 20 miles outside of the city, was jammed with troops and automobiles enroute to receive the American flyer.

All the troops of the Bogota garrison were ordered to form a guard at the field, and all available automobiles in the city were to participate in a triumphal parade.

Lindbergh left for Cartagena, Colombia, at 9 a. m.

The flight was a dangerous one. Lindbergh's course was expected to be along the Magdalena river, and then across the central range of the Andes mountains—frequently obscured by haze. A few months ago an American oil man was killed when he crashed into a mountainside which he could not see. Only one man has made the Cartagena-Bogota flight—Knox Martin, an American.

Called to Mound City.

Mrs. Florence Bramble of Skidmore was called to Mound City today by the death of her aunt, Mrs. Florence Miller. Mrs. Miller died at 4 o'clock this morning after an extended illness.

Visits Sister Here.

Mrs. L. N. Roberts, Athens, Ga., and Mrs. J. P. Cummings, Kansas City, are the guests of their sister, Mrs. G. E. Tunnstall and Mr. Tunstall. Mr. Cummings will arrive tonight for a week-end visit with Mr. and Mrs. Tunstall.

Committee to Favor $60,000,000 in Bonds

Members Who Wanted Larger Issue Have Agreed on Smaller, Kansas City Post Says.

Kansas City, Jan. 27.—A road bond issue of $60,000,000 will be proposed by Governor Baker's bond committee when they meet tomorrow in Jefferson City, it was stated here today.

An article in the Kansas City Post this afternoon said information was in their hands leading to the conclusion that a majority of the members of the road bond committee had agreed the $60,000,000 issue to be the most suitable.

Not only have a majority of the committee decided to vote for the smaller issue but also the members who previously recommended a larger issue have acceded to the other plan, it was said.

REED PLANS A REAL FIGHT

MISSOURIAN TO GO AFTER NOMINATION VIGOROUSLY.

THINK CHANCE IS GOOD

Senator's Friends Doubt Whether Smith Will Enter Convention Fight.

By PAUL R. MALLON.
United Press Staff Correspondent.

Washington, Jan. 27.—Senator James A. Reed of Missouri is out to make a real fight for the Democratic presidential nomination.

He will not pursue a passive course in hopes that Governor Al Smith's strength might eventually pass in part to him should Smith fail, but he is going to fight for himself, it was learned today after national headquarters had been formally opened for him here.

Arrangements already have been made for several southern states to select him as second choice to their favorite sons and he is going into the South to make speeches soon. One engagement already has been made for him at Raleigh, N. C.

Friends Optimistic.

Reed's friends really think he has a good chance. They are not so sure that Smith will go into a convention fight. They say they think he may retire if the situation does not look inviting in June. Reed, they believe, is the logical man to succeed to the Smith dominance in the party. And they want to place Reed in a position where he can assume the party reins should the opportunity present itself.

Reed's campaign will be conducted on old-fashioned Jacksonian principles. His slogan will be: "Throw the rascals out," the same that Andrew Jackson used. While he is classed as a wet, prohibition will not be stressed as an issue of his, and enforcement will be promised without fanfare.

Into Every State.

Reed has been holding off for fear that he might arouse some of Smith's supporters. Now his friends say he will go into every state primary where no favorite sons are entered. He has said nothing himself as to whether he will be a candidate but opening of the headquarters here was arranged with his consent, and party leaders generally have been expecting his candidacy.

Democrats May See a Moist Convention

Houston, Texas, Jan. 27.—It's not a matter of record, of course, but the American Bankers Association convention here in 1927 was moist to say the least.

And so, when the nation's democratic hosts gather in June and the Texas sun begins to beat down upon them, there probably will be those gentlemen of the alleyways and dark nights with "refreshments" for sale.

Mexico is not far away, being separated principally by revenue and customs restrictions. But the famed tequila and other beverages of the Southern Republic have found their way into Houston before and there's no reason why they shouldn't again.

There'll be other and more Volstead-like relief from the heat—if any—in June.

Galveston, port and playground of Texas, is but 50 miles away, connected by an excellent highway and the fastest interurban in America.

And, within less than 30 miles, lie other beach resorts like La Porte, Morgan's Point and Seabrook.

NO HICKMAN JURY TODAY

FOUR PROSPECTIVE JURORS REMOVED FROM PANEL.

'FOX' SHOWS INTEREST

Slayer of Marion Parker Appears Nervous—Is Object of Two Alienists.

Courtroom, Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 27. The chance of completing a jury today for the trial of William Edward Hickman, youthful murderer of Marion Parker, practically had vanished at noon.

At the opening of court today the defense seemed on the point of finishing a panel that tentatively was acceptable. Eleven prospective jurors in the box had been questioned at length and it was believed the twelfth member of the temporary panel would be found quickly.

The entire morning, however, was taken up by the defense in a fruitless attempt to fill the panel.

During the morning the defense used four premptory challenges in removing three women and one man from the jury box. This left the defense sixteen peremptory challenges.

The state had used another of its peremptory challenges, leaving it eighteen that may yet be exercised.

Hickman began to show an interest in the questioning.

He moved restlessly about in his chair and from time to time looked anxiously toward the jury box. Incessantly, "The Fox" fingered at his collar or ran his fingers through his hair. A number of young girls who secured seats in the courtroom were the object of his attention for a while.

Judge J. J. Trabucco employed the same tactics as at yesterday's hearing and constantly urged attorneys to hasten their questioning.

Alienists Study Slayer.

Jerome Walsh, chief counsel for young Hickman, was the object of several rebukes from the bench when he attempted to prolong the questioning of prospective jurors.

Two alienists who were ready to testify for the state that Hickman is sane and can be hanged for the murder, were in the courtroom. The two alienists appeared to be studying the young slayer and his rapidly growing interest in the trial.

Shortly before noon adjournment the state exercised its premptory challenge by excusing William C. Bell.

Walsh indicated clearly that he was seeking to erase the effects left by countless other murder trials where insanity pleas have saved the slayers from the death penalty, such as the Loeb-Leopold trial and the George Remus case.

"Do you believe an insanity plea is used only as a subterfuge and sham to escape the penalty for crime?" was one question he shot to each prospective juror with never failing regularity.

Seven men and four women were accepted tentatively by the defense late yesterday.

Read Little of Case.

The eleven already in the box had surprised all who heard their answers to questions put to them yesterday by Jerome Walsh, Kansas City attorney, leading the fight to save Hickman from the gallows by proving him insane at the time of the murder.

They revealed that, while the eyes of the nation were entered on Los Angles where an infuriated population was hunting Hickman. They had read little of the case in the newspapers and had discussed it but casually.

Mrs. Edith I. Kreyzer, a young matron who carried a small package that looked like it contained glasses of home made jelly, was called to be examined for the twelfth place in the jury box.

She appeared unconscious of the responsibility that might be placed upon her and responded promptly to the questions put to her by Walsh.

She was questioned at length on her views regarding capital punishment.

She said she "thought" she might be able to vote for the death penalty if the evidence warranted such a verdict. Her answer made it very probable that the State would challenge her.

Weather

Fair tonight and Saturday, no important change in temperature.

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THE ONLY DAILY PAPER IN NODAWAY COUNTY

Chicago Prepares for New Drive on Gangs

Chicago, Jan. 27.—As Chicago today prepared to start one of the most extensive hunts for perpetrators of bomb outrages in the city's history, racketeers expressed their contempt for the search by another bombing.

A bomb was thrown in the doorway of a shoe repair shop less than a block away from the home of Dr. William Reid, whose home was bombed yesterday.

The bomb was directed at J. Kustozyk, who said he recently had been threatened with violence if he did not join a shoe repairers' association. Dawage was slight.

Mayor Thompson declared the bombings were a direct challenge from the lawless, "and we accept that challenge," he added.

Marines Take Over Peak in Nicaragua

No Lives Lost in Capture of Supposed Headquarters of General Sandino.

Managua, Nicaragua, Jan. 27.—The United States Marines have captured one of the most difficult peaks in Nicaragua—on which General Augustino Sandino was said to have made his headquarters—without trace of the rebel chieftain.

The forces under the command of Major Young yesterday took over El Chipote, which Sandino's forces said could not be captured, without casualty.

There was no trace of the rebel leader.

For weeks it had been reported that General Sandino had dared American forces to attempt to take El Chipote Hill. It was reported that he would defend it with his entire army and that he would exploded 250 tons of dynamite before surrendering the mountain.

Yet when the column from Major Young's battalion advanced upon the hill there were no untoward movements, according to reports to marine headquarters here.

Funeral Rites for Mrs. Ruth C. Crossan

Held at First Christian Church Yesterday.—Quartet Sings.—Burial at Miriam Cemetery.

Funeral services for Mrs. Ruth C. Crossan, of Maryville, who died Tuesday morning, were held at 2:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the First Christian Church. The Rev. J. T. Alsup of Ravenwood conducted the service. Burial was at Miriam cemetery.

A quartet composed of Mrs. Ruth Martin, Mrs. R. E. Snodgrass, John Mutz, and W. E. Goforth sang, "Abide With Me," "Have Thine Own Way Lord," and "It is Well With My Soul."

The pallbearers were Joseph Jackson, A. L. Nash, R. E. Thomas, D. E. Hotchkin, Dr. Frank Wallace and Ed Godsey.

Miss Davison Speaks at Community Meet

Miss Margaret Davison, county health nurse, spoke at a meeting of the Martha Washington community at the Martha Washington schoolhouse last night when a health program was given by the pupils of the school. Miss Maye Sturm is teacher. Miss Davison told of the effects of enlarged tonsils and adenoids on a child's health and the part they play in transmitting communicable diseases.

Elmer Coats, vocational agriculture instructor of the Maryville High School was a visitor. An oyster stew was served after the program. Miss Davison spoke this afternoon before the pre-school circle of the Graham Parent Teachers Association.

Willie Willis

By ROBERT QUILLEN

"I was goin' to run away when Papa licked me yesterday an' never come back, but just as it was gettin' dark I remembered about forgivin' our enemies."

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GIVES VIEW ON REFUGEES

HUGHES STATES U. S. STAND AT PAN-AMERICAN MEET.

BOLIVIA SEEKS OUTLET

South American Country Jolts Conference by Presenting Request for Path to Sea.

Havana, Jan. 27.—The Pan-American conference had before it today a clear definition of United States ideas regarding the proper nature of its work in preparing a code of international law.

Included in the definition was a reassertion of the traditional United States policy to decide for itself, in individual cases, the question of sheltering refugees from foreign countries.

Charles Evans Hughes, head of the American delegation, stated the American ideas and policies at a meeting of the international law committee of the conference.

The statement of United States policy was made regarding a section of a draft code which declared:

"States are forbidden to grant asylum in any part of their jurisdiction to persons suspected of crime or condemned for crime, or to deserters from the Army or Navy."

Gives U. S. Stand.

Hughes immediately made a reservation on behalf of the United States against that section. It was the historic policy of the United States, he said, not to regard the right of asylum as a matter of international law.

"This view," Hughes said, "has been held tenaciously throughout the diplomatic history of the United States, and our government desires to maintain that position."

Bolivia Wants Sea Outlet.

Bolivia, one of the two inland South American nations, administered a jolt to the conference when her chief delegate presented a strong request that she be given an outlet to the sea.

The statement of Bolivian claims was totally unexpected, and surprised all delegations.

A concrete Bolivian demand for an ocean outlet would become involved in the long-standing dispute between Peru and Chile over ownership of the former Peruvian provinces of Tacna and Arica.

Bolivia's western frontier is separated from the sea by southern Peru and northern Chile. The Tacna-Arica area, lying between the two latter countries, would form a natural outlet and a buffer between the two states that have been in a dangerous dispute for years.

Waterman to Head Vare Sub-Committee

Washington, Jan. 27.—Senator Charles W. Waterman of Colorado was named by Chairman Shortridge of the Senate privileges and elections committee today as chairman of the sub-committee to conduct trial of the election contest brought by William B. Wilson, Democrat, against Senator-elect Vare of Pennsylvania.

FREEZING WEATHER

is again at hand. Don't let your radiator freeze up now. We will be glad to test the alcohol at any time.

F. L. BARMANN GARAGE

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Seals, Elephants n' Everything at the Indoor Circus at Armory

Have you been to the circus?

Oh, boy, its the cutest thing you ever saw!

Elephants, tigers, lions, camels, monkeys, and believe it or not there are trained seals!

This three-ring circus is being held indoors at the armory. With a jackknife, tack hammer, rasp and file and a pair of pliers, Harry Carmichael, the owner, has made by himself, the only minifature circus aggregation and equipment in the world.

The circus is being shown here this week under the auspices of the Veterans of Foreign wars.

It took four years of spare time for Mr. Carmichael to make the circus—and it's all there. You should see the band wagon! white, trimmed in gold.

The swings really swing, and the ball turns around as the seal balances it on his nose. The band master keeps time too for his band with regular movement of his baton, and the slide trombone slides. A great big elephant, that is, great big for this circus, dashes around the ring. Andy Gump is there, too, in his auto, "368"

The circus is the delight of the kiddies. The ringmaster cracks his whip and the horses dash around the ring. The tight rope walker is there and so are the girls who hang by their teeth.

It is estimated that the entire production represents $2,000 in labor and material. The machinery that operates the circus is hidden beneath a forty-foot stand upon which the entire circus rests. The figures are handled by wires, each timed to operate certain performers in their time and clock-work acts, even to the signal of the band leader, the beating of the drum and the playing of the trombone in the band in perfect order.

The circus is the result of a dream of Mr. Carmichael's to own and operate a circus. When a boy he attended the original Hall's Bros. circus in Missouri and since that time he has been a real circus fan. He calls this circus "Hall's Bros."

At first Mr. Carmichael made the 15 railroad cars and 26 circus wagons and a long track for the train, but he wanted a real circus "under the big top," and he kept whittling until he has accomplished that very thing.

P. S. Mothers and daddies, big sisters and big brothers like the circus, too.

P. S. 2 The circus shows in Maryville for the last time tomorrow night.

Eight High School Girls Win State M

Pep Assembly Held at M. H. S. This Morning.—Chorus and Orchestra Furnish Music.

Eight girls of the Maryville high school were awarded at an assembly this morning the state letter "M". It is given for certain physical and scholastic attainments.

The girls who received them were:

Mary Howard, Marjorie Penisten, Frances Lauber, Teresa Donahue, Elizabeth Edwards, Eudora Smith, Eleanor Stanfield, and Virginia Gay Miller.

The rest of the assembly period was taken up by a clever pep program of music and yells to arouse interest in the basketball game tonight. Grace Geist sang popular numbers with the words adapted to the occasion. She was accompanied by a chorus composed of Alice Shaw, R Dell Chick, Mary Donna Malotte, Esther McMurray, Maxine Holt, Gwendolyn Jantz, Martha Wyman and Delberta Mutz.

The "Moonlight Serenaders" orchestra supplied music, and pep talks were given by Coaches Wallace Croy and Hugh K. Graham.

Lots on Laura Street Are Sold to Bookers

Charles H. Galbraith has sold to Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Booker for $1 and other consideration, two lots on the east side of Laura street between First and Second streets, according to a warranty deed filed with the fecorder of deeds.

A portion of block 3, Harman's addition to Pickering has been sold by Mr. and Mrs. Orlo S. Lincoln to Eva A. Hanna for $1,800 another warranty deed stated today.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Williams have sold to Lynn and Joseph McKee for $7,500 consideration, 91.33 acres, eight and a half miles northeast of Hopkins, a warranty deed filed this morning stated.

Hoover's Attitude on Religion Sought

Candidate, a Quaker, Was Married to an Episcopalian by Catholic Priest 29 Years Ago.

Washington, Jan. 27.—Secretary of Commerce Hoover's attitudes on religion and flood control were sought today as having possible bearing on his candidacy for the Republican presidential nomination.

Hoover was asked concerning word from San Francisco that he, a Quaker, was married to his Episcopalian fiancee by a Catholic priest at Monterey, Calif., 29 years ago.

Hoover said "that is true." He had forgotten the name of the priest but telephoned his wife, and she remembered.

He said that the marriage occurred the day before he was to sail for China on an engineering mission. The priest was the only man available to perform the ceremony. He had authority, as have Catholic army and navy chaplains to marry two non-Catholics. Such marriages take a civil status rather than affiliate the non-Catholics with the church, it was said by Hoover and by Catholic clergy here.

Friends of Hoover wondered why the question was raised, unless with a view to minimizing religious opposition to Gov. Al Smith of New York in case both Hoover and Smith are nominated. The Hoovers attend the Friends church and their children attend a Friends school.

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The Mozingo Valley Homecoming arranged for Sunday, Jan. 29, has been postponed until a later date on account of the death of the Rev. H. A. Doughty of Pickering.

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60 Audrain Countians Back President Hirth

State Executive Committe "Packed" Against M. F. A. Head, It Is Charged.

Mexico, Mo., Jan. 28.—Sixty Audrain County farmers, members of the Missouri Farmers' Association, passed resolutions here yesterday afternoon endorsing the work of William Hirth of Columbia, their leader, and condemning activities of the State Executive Committee and State Board, which they charged has been packed against him and is attempting to displace him.

Howard Cowden, former secretary-treasurer of the organization, is said to be the leader of the anti-Hirth faction in the State. The resolutions expressed confidence in Hirth and in his work in behalf of the organization, and denounced those who oppose the Hirth policies, demanding the resignations of T. H. DeWitt, Green City; A. J. Crawford, Atlanta; George M. Kelley, Tipton; R. T. Pence, Marshall; N. J. Ball, Montgomery City, and C. M. Stiles, Aldrich, members of the state executive committee.

Another resolution, which passed with many of those present refraining from voting, demanded the resignation of J. R. Hayes of Centralia, as county president and member of the State Board, if Hayes refused co-operation in Hirth policies.

Hays, who was present, spoke urging harmony.

Baby Through Windshield, Unhurt.

Salina, Kan., Jan. 27.—When two cars crashed near here last night the infant son of Mrs. Godfrey Nelson was thrown through the windshield of both cars.

He was heavily swathed in blankets and escaped unhurt.

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SOCIETY

Birthday Dinner.

Mrs. Myrtle Dillon entertained with a dinner yesterday in celebration of four birthdays, those of her mother, Mrs. A. E. Clouse; her daughter, Evelyn Hackett; her nephew, Arthur Emerson, and her own.

Those persons at the dinner were: Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Clapper, Mrs. A. E. Clouse, Mr. and Mrs. Alpheus Clouse, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Emerson and children, Dorothy, June, Helen, Harry and Edwin; Eugene Dillon, Evelyn Hackett, Arthur Emerson, L. F. Emerson, Spirit Lake, Ia., and the hostess.

Community Club.

The Rockford Community Club met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. C. Hogan. The afternoon was spent in an apron demonstration.

The members present: Mrs. Ernest Bainum, Mrs. D. J. Busby, Mrs. E. R. Bird, Mrs. Carrol Hogan, Mrs. Alfred Jones, Mrs. Lester Reakseeker, Mrs. Will Wells, Mrs. Homer Worl, Mrs. Cleo Renshaw and Mrs. Cal Williams. Mrs. Mowry, who is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Bainum, was a guest. The next meeting will be held February 9 at the home of Mrs. Dale Partridge.

B. B. Club.

Mrs. Orville Ripley was hostess at an all-day meeting of the B. B. Club at her home south of Maryville, yesterday. A cafeteria dinner was served at noon. Three dresses were made for Mrs. Ripley's daughter, Doris. Plans were completed for the farewell party to be given by the members of the B. B. club for those members who are leaving the club, at the B. B. clubhouse on February 4. Mrs. Joseph Skidmore drew a present from the birthday bag. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ridlon and daughter, Colleen. The members present: Mrs. Joseph Skidmore, Mrs. John Erickson, Mrs. Don Kingery, Mrs. Marion Ripley, Mrs. Albert Carr, Mrs. Mike Baker, Mrs. Nettie Warren, Mrs. Ed Russell, Mrs. D. S. Moody, Mrs. Frank Gray, Mrs. Robert Coffelt, Junior Calfee of Elmo, Doris, Donald and Harold Ripley, Virginia Lee Moody, and the hostess.

Mrs. Ed Russell will be hostess at the next all-day meeting of the B. B. Club at her home south of Maryville, Feb. 9.

Garrett Club Meeting.

The Garrett Recreation Club met with Mrs. Paul Ward at her home here Wednesday afternoon. The afternoon was spent in needlework. The hostess assisted by her sister, Mrs. Alma Healy, served refreshments.

Those at the meeting were: Mrs. Eugene Lyle and grandchildren, Mrs. Ed Schooler, Mrs. Alma Healy, Mrs. J. O'Connell, Mrs. Roland Wray and son, Mrs. Charles Wells, Mrs. Maurice Madden, Mrs. T. H. Thompson, Miss Mae Doran, and Mrs. Herbert Thompson and daughter, Dorothy Irene of Amity.

Has New Members.

The Twentieth Century Club announces the following new members: Mrs. Roland Curnutt, Mrs. A. T. Estes, Mrs. Ray O'Grady, Mrs. Harry Walmsley and Mrs. O. D. Rogers. Miss Emma Hull has been re-instated in the club.

The new members were elected at a business meeting of the executive board of the club following the club luncheon yesterday afternoon at the First Methodist church when Miss Mary Hudson of Kansas City talked on Missouri's juvenile courts.

The club has decided to sponsor a picture show at the Missouri theater and to give a tea before March 1.

The organization will preside at the Art exhibit at the State Teachers College Tuesday.

Lavender and white sweet peas, a gift of Mrs. C. C. Hellmers of Lincoln, Neb., were presented to Miss Hudson and to Miss Mary Dietzler, field representative of the American Red Cross, who also attended the luncheon. Music was played during the meal. Mrs. Bert Cooper was in charge of the affair.

Mrs. J. C. Godbey and Mrs. C. E. Stilwell were appointed to assist Boy Scouts in the placing of bird houses in Maryville.

Shower for Mrs. Hamilton.

The Union Homemakers Club met yesterday afternoon with Mrs. Clay Moody, when a miscellaneous shower was given for Mrs. Virgil Hamilton. The time was spent quilting. The hostess served refreshments of fruit, salad and coffee. She was assisted by Miss Maysel Hayden and Mrs. Virgil Hamilton.

Those present were: Mrs. Alfred Jones, Mrs. Clay Moody, Mrs. Albert Seipel and children, Mrs. Virgil Hamilton, Mrs. Delbert Florea and son, Dale, Mrs. John Deardorff, Miss Maysel Hayden, Mrs. Albert Alexander, Mrs. A. J. Walk, Mrs. Ed Jones and son, Harold, Mrs. Clyde Cassel and Mrs. Guy D. Aley.

The next meeting will be held February 23 with Mrs. Thomas O'Day. Roll call will be answered with sandwich recipes.

Mrs. John Deardorff Hostess.

The Ireland Industrial Club met with Mrs. John Deardorff in an all-day session Wednesday. These officers were elected: President, Mrs. Lester Rogers; vice-president, Mrs. Harold Snyder; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Ernest McDowell. The afternoon was spent doing needlework.

Members present were: Mrs. John Griffey, Mrs. Claude Shell, Mrs. A. H. Hughes, Mrs. B. C. Hall, Mrs. J. P. Cockayne, Mrs. Charles Cockayne, Mrs. Maymie Taylor, Mrs. Charles Garrett, Mrs. Ivan Cockayne, Mrs. Ernest McDowell, Mrs. Will Snyder, Mrs. Harold Snyder, Mrs. Theo Palmer, Mrs. Will Osborn and Mrs. Luella Phillips.

The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Charles Garrett, February 22.

Missionary Meeting.

The Missionary Society of the First Presbyterian church met at the home of Mrs. C. E. Wells yesterday afternoon when Miss Jessie Parcher talked in "The Problems of Progress in China." Mrs. Andrew Wood, chaplin, conducted the devotional service. Elizabeth Moss played a piano solo. Assisting hostesses were Mrs. C. C. Lawrence and Mrs. Emma DeMoss. Refreshments were served during the social hour.

Mrs. Forrest Gillam will be hostess at the next meeting of the society, February 23.

Social Meeting.

Members of the Skidmore Neighborly Club met at the home of Mrs. L. D. Jordan in a social meeting Wednesday afternoon. Assisting hostesses were: Mrs. J. E. Pierpoint, Mrs. Leslie Strickler, Mrs. Rosa Stahr, Mrs. A. J. Wells, Mrs. Anna Owen, Mrs. L. J. Reese and Mrs. Pete Loucks. Guests at the meeting were: Mrs. Howard Manning, Mrs. J. F. Kellogg, Mrs. Everett Iddings, Mrs. Earl Jordan, Florence Jordan, Ellen Reese and Donald Jordan. Somerset was played at five tables. A two-course luncheon was served.

The next meeting will be held with Mrs. John Masters, Wednesday.

Merry Minglers.

At the election of officers of the Merry Mingler Club held at the home of Mrs. Hubert Walk yesterday Miss Minnie Jaeger was elected president; vice-president, Mrs. Fisher Mercer; secretary-treasurer, Miss Wilma Jackson. A flower committee composed of Miss Mina Armstrong and Mrs. Fred Stein was appointed. Mrs. Lee Haigwood was named reporter.

Miss Mary Tallon and Mrs. Lee Haigwood were winners of contests held at the meeting yesterday.

The guests and members present were: Mrs. Fisher Mercer, Miss Katie Mercer, Mrs. A. B. Stein, Miss Wilma Jackson, Miss Minnie Jaeger, Miss Theresa Jaeger, Miss Bernadine Jaeger, Mrs. Henry Jaeger, Miss Mina Armstrong, Mrs. Fred Stein, Mrs. Russell Smock, Mrs. John Wallace, Mrs. Lee Haigwood, Mrs. Tom Tallon, Miss Marie Walk, Mrs. W. A. Thornhill, Mrs. Donald Stein, Omer and Eleanor Haigwood, Marjorie Thornhill, Fisher Mercer, Henry Smock, Russell Smock, Ed Stein, Thomas Tallon, Lee Haigwood.

The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Thomas Tallon, February 9, when a valentine box will be a feature.

Mrs. Henry Kellogg, Hostess

Mrs. Henry Kellogg, Hopkins, entertained these guests at dinner at noon yesterday: Mrs. Milo Torrey, Mrs. Will Saunders, Mrs. W. B. Porter and Mrs. George Porterfield, all of Pickering.

Frank Bentley in Hospital.

F. B. Bentley was taken to St. Francis Hospital Thursday suffering from blood poison in one of the lower limbs. Mr. Bentley some thirty-seven years ago received a hurt on the leg from which he had suffered at various times and which he had been able to master heretofore. The injury had reached a distance below the hip on the inside of the limb but at Monday's writing he was improving. It is thought no more serious trouble will arise.—Ravenwood Gazette.

Leaves for Dallas.

Mrs. Belle DeMotte left this afternoon for Dallas, Texas, to visit her son, John Allen DeMotte, who has been seriously ill after a series of operations for sinus infection. He has been ill since Nov. 1.

Sells Steers at $12.

C. H. Coe of Nodaway County disposed of forty-nine steers, 1057 pounds, at $12 at the St. Joseph market Wednesday.

Operation this Morning.

M. L. Bentley, of Ravenwood, has his tonsils and adenoids removed this morning at the St. Francis Hospital.

Fine Winter Weather to Last Over Sunday

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 27.—Normal winter weather will continue in Missouri and Kansas over Sunday, the weather bureau predicted today. Temperatures will range from 20 degrees at night to slightly above freezing in the afternoon hours. The weather will remain fair and dry, the forecast said.

Radium by Airplane Fails to Save Life

St. Joseph, Mo., Jan. 27.—Radium transported by airplane from New York to St. Joseph was ineffectual in saving the life of Clarence M. Finley of Troy, Kan., who died last night.

The first shipment of radium was delayed when the plane was forced down by a storm and it was not until a second shipment had been received that an operation was performed on Finley.

Young Bank Bandits Sent to State Prison

Poplar Bluff, Mo., Jan. 27.—Two youths who robbed a bank of $3,600 "to start in business" were to begin state penitentiary terms of ten years each at Jefferson City today. They are James Duke, 16 and Eugene Harper, 17, both of St. Louis, who January 9 held up the Qulin, Mo., bank and escaped, only to be captured an hour later.

To Leave Hospital Tomorrow.

Miss Roberta Best, Bogard, student at the State Teachers College, who has been a patient at the St. Francis Hospital, where she underwent a metabolism test, will return to Residence Hall tomorrow.

Big Theater Merger Is Effective Today

New York, Jan. 27.—The Keith-Albee-Orpheum merger, which created what is said to be the largest chain of theaters ever brought together, became effective today.

Through one office the company will book 700 theater programs, furnishing daily entertainment for 1,500,000 persons in the United States and Canada. The assets of the corporation are $65,000,000.

E. F. Albee, president, who began his career sixty-three years ago as a vaudeville extra at 50 cents a performance, will celebrate his fortieth anniversary this year as a theaterical manager.

Market Cattle at $13.60.

R. D. Stewart of Maryville and sons, Dale and Cecil of near Clyde, marketed a load of twenty-six head of cattle, averaging 1,105 pounds on the St. Joseph market yesterday for $13.60 a hundred weight.

Appendicitis Operation.

Mrs. C. A. Clark, of Maryville, underwent an operation this morning for appendicitis. She is getting along very nicely.

Tonsils and Adenoids Removed.

Irene Devers, 12-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Devers, of Skidmore, had her tonsils and adenoids removed this morning at the St. Francis Hospital.

GENERAL MARKET
at Montgomery Shoe Store
Saturday all day
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Swift Makes a Milk Survey at Clarinda

Swift & Co., is making a survey of the Clarinda community to find out the number of milk cows there with a view of establishing a cheese factory there. R. J. Nothwehr, a representative of that company, is making the survey. From 200 to 900 cows will be needed or around 15,000 pounds capacity daily. No financial aid is being asked.

NO CHOICE AS TO CANDIDATE

PHARES FAVORS UNINSTRUCTED G. O. P. DELEGATION.

MAY BE SENT HIMSELF

Maryville Man and B. G. Voorhes Talked Of as Delegates, Says St. Joseph Paper.

Missouri Republicans should send an uninstructed delegation to the national convention in Kansas City, June 12, is the opinion of William F. Phares of Maryville, former chairman of the Republican state committee, according to the St. Joseph News-Press. Mr. Phares is much talked of as a delegate to the convention.

"I believe delegates from Missouri to the Republican national convention should be uninstructed," Mr. Phares said.

No One Has an Edge.

Regarding Nodaway County Mr. Phares does not think any candidate has a substantial edge.

"It is my opinion there has been no consolidation of sentiment in this county to justify the claim of any of the several candidates now in the public mind," Mr. Phares said.

The St. Joseph paper says:

"The reticence of the former chairman of the state committee to express a preference comes as a surprise to St. Joseph Republicans. It was thought here Phares and other Nodaway County Republicans were for General Dawes.

Voorhees for Dawes?

"B. G. Voorhees is the other Republican talked of for delegate to the national convention. His first choice is said to be Hughes, but the former secretary of the state has eliminated himself. Dawes is said to be Voorhees' second choice, but he also has a strong feeling for Hoover.

"There is a possibility Fourth district Republicans will repeat their 1920 performance. The congressional convention gave no instructions, but as the time for the national convention drew near a powwow was held in St. Joseph at which representative Republicans from all over the district were present.

"Sentiment was sounded, ballots were taken, with the result the Fourth district's delegation was instructed for Leonard A. Wood."

Barnard Picnic Dates Set as August 2, 3, 4

Old Officers Are Re-Elected.—First Day to Log Rollers, Next Two to Candidates.

The Barnard picnic will be held Thursday, Friday and Saturday, August 2, 3, and 4, it was decided at a meeting held at Barnard Wednesday night, according to the Barnard Bulletin. The old officers were re-elected and are John Tulloch, president; L. D. Goforth, secretary; and James Skidmore, treasurer.

The first day of the picnic will be in charge of the Modern Woodmen of America for their Northwest Missouri Log Rolling association. The last two days will be political and, as the picnic comes before the primary, all state and county canditdates will be invited.

Scales Delivered to Two Winning Schools

Two Fairbanks health scales, won by the Barnard and Maryville schools by selling $100 or more of Christmas seals during December, were received by Leslie G. Somerville, county superintendent of schools, and delivered to the respective schools.

The scales were given by the Nodaway County Tuberculosis Association. The scales won by Maryville were placed in the Douglass school.

Mrs. Ramick Walkup and Mrs. Walter Littell, of Fairfax, were visitors in Maryville yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Neal of Pickering, were among Maryville's out of town visitors yesterday.

Mrs. Paul Smith, Parnell, spent yesterday here.

Mrs. Howard Evans and daughter went to St. Joseph yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Waitman and two children, Jack and Jean, motored to Kansas City this morning for a visit of several days with friends.

Mrs. Maggie Shelton of Burlington Junction, was here yesterday afternoon.

M. Goodson About Same.

Col. M. Goodson of Ravenwood, who has been confined to his home the past two weeks from complicated troubles, remains about the same. Col. Goodson is a former resident of Maryville.

Good Prices Paid at Sale of John A. Gex

2,800 Bushels Corn Brings 80 Cents a Bushel.—Oats Average 53 to 70 Cents.

Good prices were received yesterday for corn, cattle and mules at the closing out sale of John A. Gex, who will move soon to Texas. Corn brought from 79 to 80 cents a bushel, 700 bushels selling for 79 cents and 2,850 bushels bringing 80 cents. Oats averaged from 53 cents to 70 cents.

A pair of 7-year-old mules sold for $285, a pair of 5 and 6-year-old mules brought $280, and a pair of 14-year-old mules for $230; and a 14-year-old mule $57.50.

The cattle prices also were satisfactory. They were: 6-year-old red cow brought $125; brindle coy, 6-year-old, $127; 4-year-old Jersey $132.50; roan heifer $110; roan heifer $107.50; light roan heifer $83; 2 black and brindle steers $152; black steer $45.

The sale was cried by R. P. Hosmer, with A. K. Frank as clerk.

Averages 58 Bushels Corn on 20 Acres

An average of nearly 58 bushels of corn was raised by Claud Shinabargar on twenty acres of land rented from Ina Gray, two miles southeast of Maryville. The corn made 1154 bushels on the twenty-acre tract. It was sold by Mr. Shinabargar for 82 cents a bushel, netting him $946.28.

More Vaudeville for Theater Here

Ray Cook Plans Acts at Missouri Theater Every Week.—Clever Revue Is Here.

Ray Cook, manager of the Missouri Theater here, has announced that plans are being made to bring vaudeville acts to Maryville every week instead of every other week, as has been the practice. It has been found that the response to good vaudeville acts, similar to that two weeks ago by the Juvenile stars of Kansas City, is good.

Tonight and tomorrow night movie fans will be entertained by the Buford and Gamble Company, comprising ten persons in a pleasing revue. They bring their own scenery and orchestra.

Among the better known pictures which will be shown here soon will be "Seventh Heaven", "The Missing Link," "Dress Parade" and "Annie Laurie."

Braddyville Man Loses His Memory

Yale James Found in Hastings, Neb., in Dazed Condition.—Believed Struck on Head.

Yale James of Braddyville has lost his memory, according to the Elmo register. That paper says:

Word was received Monday by Mrs. Fern James of Braddyville that her husband, Yale James was in Hastings, Neb., perfectly well bodily but was in a dazed condition and did not seem to know where he was going or who his folks were. His father, Otto James, went to Hastings and brought him home, arriving Wednesday evening. When he returned he did not recognize his folks or seem to remember anything about the past at all.

This condition was probably caused by a blow on the head causing a blood clot upon the brain. Mr. James has been a sufferer from asthma. About three months ago he went to Loveland, Colo., for his health and has been working there since. A few days ago he started home and must have gotten as far as Hastings when his misfortune overtook him. He had been registered at the hotel in Hastings for a week. He had considerable money on his person when leaving Loveland but this was all missing when his father arrived in Hastings.

Two Couples licenses to Wed.

Marriage licenses were issued here yesterday to Glenn Appleman and Lucille Fullerton, both of Skidmore; and to George Hogan and Merle Lovell, both of Gillman City, Mo.

AUNT HET

"Jane needn't act superior around me. I knowed her when she didn't take a bath but once a week an' used a rag and wash pan then."

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W. P. F. A. IN COUNTY MEET

BARNARD IS PLACE OF ANNUAL GATHERING TOMORROW.

WILL ELECT OFFICERS

Ten Clubs in County Have About 140 Members.—Mrs. Bert Hubbell to Speak.

The W. P. F. A. meeting will be held at the M. E. Church in Barnard tomorrow afternoon at 1 o'clock.

This is the annual meeting of the Nodaway County association and election of officers will be held. Mrs. E. C. Ingram is the president; Mrs. Blanche Rickman, Guilford, vice-president; Miss Margaret Stotts, secretary-treasurer; and Mrs. Paul Drydale, junior farm organization leader.

The W. P. F. A. organization has enjoyed a profitable year, having ten clubs in the county and about 140 members. The clubs are as follows: Lafayette, Guilford; Lincoln, Guilford; Whiteford, Guilford; Luteson, Sheridan; Pickering Club of Pickering; and White Hall, Fairview, Riverside, Common Sense and Trego clubs of Barnard.

The program to be given at the annual meeting is as follows:

Song—"America".

Prayer.

Talk—Mrs. Bert Hubbell, State Board member.

Solo—Mrs. R. W. Bridges.

Business session and election of county officers.

Installation of both county and local officers:

Presidents by Mrs. Bert Hubbell.

Vice-presidents by Miss Sarah Kling.

Secretary-treasurers by Mrs. Wilmer Clayton.

J. F. A. Captains and Leaders by Mrs. Paul Ware.

Obligations by Mrs. Ernest Ingram.

Prayer.

Dalton's Confession a Puzzle to Police

Prisoner's Story at Dayton, Ohio, May Be Hoax to Get Out of Workhouse, Is Belief.

The St. Joseph police was puzzled over the voluntary confession of a man giving his name as Richard Dalton, 30 years old, in jail at Dayton, O., that he had figured in a motor car accident near Ravenwood, last May in which a boy was killed, and that he staged a number of holdups in California, according to the St. Joseph News-Press.

The confession of Dalton, in which the St. Joseph and Dayton police have placed little credence, leads them to believe, however, that he has been in this vicinity, and possibly figure in crimes, the St. Joseph paper says.

The rest of the article follows:

Now in Workhouse.

Dalton is serving a sentence in the workhouse at Dayton for loitering. After making a statement to the Dayton police, Dalton told them that he had done so in the hope that he would be transferred from the workhouse to a hospital in order that he might take a cure for the drug habit.

While the details in Dalton's confession are rather hazy, the substance of the statement is that he stole a motor car in St. Joseph last May, picked up a fourteen-year-old boy named Still, and while taking the boy for a ride met with an accident in which the boy was killed.

Either Dalton's dates are confused or he did not figure in the accident. According to word from Maryville, Charles Dalton and Warren Hawk, the latter from Maryville, were arrested in Conception, Feb. 4, last, following an accident near Ravenwood, in which Everett Still was killed.

Sentenced for Two Years.

Following their arrest at Conception, Dalton and Hawk were brought to St. Joseph to stand trial for the theft of the car in which they were riding when the boy was killed. The car, a sedan, had been stolen from Bernard F. Hassenbusch of St. Joseph.

According to information on file at the prosecuting attorney's office in St. Joseph, Dalton was sentenced to two years in the state prison for the theft of the car. Hawk received a similar sentence but was granted a parole.

It is possible, the police here believe, that Dalton is a relative of the Dalton who figured in the accident, and that he might be trying to work a hoax to get out of the workhouse.

Drive to Minneapolis Takes Fifteen Hours

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Bellows left Maryville in their car at 7:30 o'clock yesterday morning and arrived at their home in Minneapolis, Minn., at 10:30 o'clock last night, according to word received from them by Mrs. Bellows' mothers, Mrs. W. W. Randall. Mr. and Mrs. Bellows had been spending the holidays here with relatives.

Miss Effie Henderson, Barnard, was in Maryville yesterday.

Miss Ruth Louise James, a student at the State Teachers College, is visiting in St. Joseph.

N. C. Killam of Parnell, spent yesterday in Maryville.

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What Nodaway County Churches Are Doing

GREAT EXCITEMENT IN PALESTINE

Comment on the Uniform International Series for January 29, 1928. Read Mark 3 and 6.

Wm. Southern, Jr.

There was but one main topic in Palestine in the spring of the year A. D., 29. In the palace of the high priest, in the wealthy homes of the members of the Sanhedrin, in the meetings of the Pharisees the same topic was at the front that occupied the thoughts of the distressed, the sick, the poor, the wretched in every hovel in the country. There were some three million people in Palestine at that time, about the same number we had in the United States at the close of the revolution. There were no daily newspapers but the news was carried to the uttermost corners and to every group as by radio.

A young man, a native son, who claimed to be the Messiah, was walking through Palestine, preaching a simple doctrine, a doctrine which conflicted in many points with that taught in the great temple and the synagogues and, here is the point most wonderful to the masses, healing the sick, restoring sight to the blind and even bringing the dead to life. Many persons had been healed by touching His garment as the crowd surged about him.

In the palaces and the temples there was alarm and consternation. This man must be disposed of in some way. He was a disturber, a kind of an I. W. W., a communist, a radical. He was teaching insubordination. He was a false prophet befooling the people and making them dangerous to constituted authority. In the hovel and in the field where poverty and misery stalked, He was the Messiah, the Divine Son of God, the miracle man, the man who understood and who loved and who, with no possessions himself, brought health and healing to soul and body and charged no price. The Common People Heard Him Gladly. This was the situation in Palestine. The fame of Jesus was growing. The whole country was stirred to its depths.

The hostility of Jesus was manifest by the Pharisees and Sadducees. In those days the idea that the people were capable of self government without a king and without an aristocracy would have been considered the sheerest nonsense. The people were not responsible for anything. The leaders, and the high priests, saw in Jesus only a man who was a disturbing element, who was rousing up the passions of the people and who was giving them ideas which were exceedingly bad for the country and which, if carried out, would throw them out of places of honor and profit.

In his efforts to teach the people that the Sabbath was made for man and not man for the Sabbath, he was trying to give us another view of God and his great purposes. He was trying to show us that God did not demand of his people anything miraculous nor anything beyond what might be in their power to accomplish—that all he wanted of man was to live in such a relationship with his fellow man that the rights of each might be considered and that selfishness should be banished as nearly as possible. He asked that man deal justly with each other and he taught, oh so many times, that the greatest happiness to be known in the world was the happiness of doing kindness.

The common people heard him gladly. They followed him wherever he went. People who held no official position, people who had no property, people who had no say in the forms of government, gathered about him and listened hungrily to the teachings and grasped with eagerness at the hope, a hope which came as an unexpected promise to those who were hopeless. Jesus gave his time to these people and not to the people who ruled in the temple and in the synagogues. When they crowded him so closely on the banks of the sea that he had no room he stepped into a little boat and pulled away from the shore where he could see them and talk to them. No wonder that they wanted to make him king. It was the first time in the history of the world that anybody had ever promised happiness and comfort and life to the people who formed the mass of misery under the shod feet of ruthless wealth and officialdom.

We are reversing the situation which met Jesus in Palestine. Then the common people, the poor, the scantily clothed, the multitude, heard Him gladly and followed Him and filled the auditoriums on the hillsides to hear Him.

Today the Christian churches of the land are not filled by "the Common People." I do not know where they are but our churches at their Sunday services do not see them filling the seats and listening to the preacher. Our congregations are the well dressed, the leaders, the higher ups. Most of them are Christians and church members. Jesus said when reproached because he lived and ate with the rabble that these were the very people he came to save and to heal.

Conditions in the United States today are nothing like conditions in Palestine in A. D. 29. Our people are not poverty stricken, not trodden under the heel of tyranny, not poorer than poverty and miserable all the time. We do not know what poverty is in this country, we do not know what hunger is. We grumble, perhaps, because we cannot all have turkey and cranberries and pity ourselves because we do not own an automobile and a fine house, but that is not poverty.

Our greatest poverty is a mental poverty combined with a spiritual poverty. Our great problem is to again be able to say truly the Common people hear Him gladly.

THE GROWING FAME OF JESUS.

Lesson Text.—Mark 3:7-12; 6:53-56. Read Isaiah 60: 1-5, 8, 9.

7. And Jesus with his disciples withdrew to the sea; and a great multitude from Galilee followed; and from Judæa,

8. and from Jerusalem, and from Idumæa, and beyond the Jordan, and about Tyre and Sidon, a great multitude, hearing what great things he did, came unto him.

9. And now he spake to his disciples, that a little boat should wait on him because of the crowd, lest they should throng him:

10. for he had healed many, insomuch that as many as had plagues pressed upon him that they might touch him.

11. And the unclean spirits, whensoever they beheld him, fell down before him, and cried, saying, Thou are the Son of God.

12. And he charged them much that they should not make him known.

6:53. And when they had crossed over, they came to the land unto Gennesaret, and moored to the shore.

54. And when they were come out of the boat, straightway the people knew him.

55. and ran around about the whole region, and began to carry about on their beds those that were sick, where they heard he was.

56. And wheresoever he entered, into villages, or into cities, or into the country, they laid the sick in the marketplaces, and besought him that they might touch if it were but the border of his garment; and as many as touched him were made whole.

Golden Text—The common people heard him gladly. Mark 12:37.

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Prominent Republican Dies.

Lebanon, Mo., Jan. 27.—Charles Vernon, 46, Republican leader in southwest Missouri, was found dead in his home here yesterday. Heart disease is believed to have been the cause of death.

Vernon formerly was deputy internal revenue collector, working out of the St. Louis office.

Officers Chosen for 1928 at Salem S. S.

Salem Church Sunday School, nine and one-half miles of Maryville, on the pavement, has started the year 1928 with the following officers: Superintendent, Wilmer Hubbard; assistant superintendent, Harold Smith; secretary Clarice Hubbard; treasurer, Fred Davison; and pianist, Mrs. Cora Hubbard.

With the co-operation of the officers and members Salem has had a very good attendance. Sunday morning, the Rev. C. E. Hagee of Maryville, will preach at 11 o'clock.

Everyone is cordially invited to join in the worship at both Sunday school and church.

Presbyterians Will Meet at Foster Home

Rev. W. N. Dewar Will Talk on Book, "The Impatience of a Parson."

The evening service of the First Presbyterian Church will be held at 7:30 o'clock Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Foster, at 620 Normal avenue. The home of President and Mrs. Uel W. Lamkin, at 703 Normal avenue. The Rev. William N. Dewar will give a discourse on the book, "The Impatience of a Parson."

"This book is the outstanding one of the year," Mr. Dewar said. "In a few weeks in Great Britain, 90,000 copies of the book were sold. It is a challenging Christian book, and its author is the beloved Vicar of St. Martin-in-the-Fields, of London, 'Dick Shepherd,' believing that a wholehearted acceptance of the program of Jesus is the one hope of the world, has subjected organized Christianity to a searching criticism fitting only for one who loves the church."

At the morning service at the church, the Reverend Mr. Dewar will speak on "Life's Heroism." There will be special music by the choir.

Sunday school starts at 9:30 o'clock. Walter Allen gives the twelfth and last of his series on his travels aboard. He will tell about France and the return trip home.

The Christian Endeavor will meet at 6:30 o'clock. At the request of the young people, the minister will begin a series of talks on "Modern Science and the Religion of Jesus." The series will be kept within the compass of the youthful mind and the spiritual will predominate. All young people are invited.

An anthem by the choir at the First Presbyterian church Sunday morning will be "Remember Now Thy Creator," by Adams. Mrs. C. E. Wells will sing a solo, "These Are They," from the Holy City by Gaul.

PICKERING CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Services for next Sunday.

Morning, Bible school and sermon.

Evening, 7:30 union service in the Methodist Church. The writer will preach the sermon.

We were very well pleased with the attendance of the first of our union services last Sunday night. Captain Hodson of Kansas City, representing the Salvation Army gave a splendid address on "Mother, Dad and the Children." He also sang several Salvation Army songs. The offering, which was turned over to his work, amounted to $5.58.

We desire these union services to be interesting, spiritual, and uplifting. Come, and your attendance will be an inspiration to others.

T. M. Walton, Pastor.

Dr. E. L. Robison to Be at Arkoe Sunday

District Superintendent E. L. Robison of St. Joseph will preach at the Arkoe M. E. Church at 11 a. m. Sunday and hold Quarterly conference immediately following. A full attendance of the officials is desired and the public is cordially invited to attend, according to the Rev. Lane Douglas, pastor.

Lost Bible Regained Is Mitchell Sermon

Regular Services at M. E. Church, South.—"Disillusioned Highbrows" College Class Address.

"A Lost Bible Regained," is to be the subject of the sermon which the Rev. R. A. Mitchell, pastor of the M. E. Church, South, will deliver at 10:45 o'clock Sunday morning. The choir will sing an anthem, "With Sheathed Swords."

Sunday school will start at 9:40 o'clock. The Reverend. Mr. Mitchell will speak to the College Bible Class on "Disillusioned Highbrows."

The Epworth League meets at 6:30 o'clock. Luther Blackwelder is to be the leader. The subject for discussion will be "Can We Afford Time for Bible Reading?"

At the evening service, which will begin at 7:30 o'clock, the Reverend Mr. Mitchell will speak on. "Loyalty." The public is cordially invited to all services.

Wind Gales Used to Operate Pipe Organs

Power Fans Develop Tremendous Air Pressures to Produce Music From Inanimate Metal.

More than 18,000,000 pounds of air are blown within the pipe organs of the United States every day to provide music in the nation's churches, theaers and auditoriums, according to figures compiled by ventilating engineers, who are conducting a survey to show the important part that electrically controlled air plays in every phase of American life.

Driven by powerful type fans, veritable gales of wind pressure are created within the pipe organs to produce the resonant musical notes from inanimate metal. From the time of the foot-pumped, grunting organ in the "little old church on the hill" and the hand-manipulated hurdy-gurdy that ground out its musical cheer on the streets of the big cities, the engineers have been developing methods for mechanically creating air pressures for organs which would be both efficient and quiet. In the modern pipe organ, the fans are specially constructed with special motor, mounted as a unit on an absorbent foundation and provided with a flexible air pipe connected so that not the slightest machine or air noise will magnify or travel through the quietness of a church or similar building. The principle is similar, however, to the type of air control used for ventilating tunnels and buildings, and pneumatic conveying of shavings, dusts and gases as used in many industries, according to the engineers.

One of the largest pipe organs in the United States is in the Wannamaker Store in Philadelphia. This organ has 232 stops, is 144 feet high and 120,000 feet of lumber were used in building it. Its longest cable from key-board to organ is 560 feet. It is equipped with five blowers which aggregate 132 horsepower and develop wind pressure ranging from 5 to 33 inches. Another of these giant organs is located in the Municipal Auditorium in Springfield, Mass.

"A Man of Strength" Subject of Prather

Sermon at Baptist Church Sunday Morning.—Choir Selects Easter Piece.—B. Y. P. U. Officers.

The Rev. Guy L. Prather, pastor of the First Baptist Church will speak Sunday morning on the subject of, "A Man of Strength." The choir will give special music. The service will begin at 11 o'clock. Sunday school starts at 9:30 o'clock.

The B. Y. P. U. meets at 6:30 o'clock. Homer Warner is the leader. The lesson is the study of the first Woman's Missionary Society in China. The officers of the society are as follows:

President, Doris Walker; vice-president, Homer Warner; secretary, Beatrice Puckett; treasurer, Neola Smith; Bible readers leader, Pauline Hamilton; pianist, Marian Gann; chorister, Laura Ethel Warner.

The group captains are Homer Warner, Marian Gann, Melvin Vail, and Noreen White. The union is being divided into four groups and all available members are being invited to attend.

"How to Please the Christ," is to be the evening sermon by the Reverend Mr. Prather. The choir will sing.

The choir is beginning the rehearsal of its Easter music. The special piece selected is "The Resurrection." They will meet every Thursday evening for practice.

New Raids Made on Mexican Catholics

Government Charges Plot to Excite Fanatics as Reason for 250 or More Arrests.

Mexico City, Jan. 27.—Secret service evidence of a plot to excite alleged religious fanatics was cited today by Inspector General of Police Roberto Cruz as the reason for the arrest during the last few days of between 250 and 300 Catholic priests, nuns and pupils.

"We have obtained sufficient proofs," Cruz said, "that Catholics have re-started a seditious propaganda, much of which was designed to excite fanatics against the closing of religious institutions by the government in strict compliance with the law."

Most of the persons arrested were child pupils. These have been released. Others were detained.

Raids were made on four schools and it was charged a large amount of seditious propaganda and religious emblems were seized.

Among the schools raided was the Josephine convent in the heart of the business section of the city. Stones were thrown through the windows of the important hotels, and the main American restaurants reported several of its windows were broken out by stones.

Two hundred security agents and one hundred mounted police early yesterday raided the regina seminary.

Occupants of the seminary did not resist arrest although they shouted repeatedly:

"Viva Cristo Rey."

Although there have been many arrests in the last few months of those attending religious ceremonies, this was the largest number held at one time. It has been customary for those detailed to be fined from $100 to $200 and then to be released.

THE GREAT WAR TEN YEARS AGO TODAY.

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Threat of a general strike in Germany as protest against continuance of the war is reported.

Attempts of Germany and Austria-Hungary to obtain food from the Ukraine are blocked.

Lakin to Speak on Group Evangelism

His Sunday Morning Topic at First Christian Church.—"Confirmation of Faith," at Night.

The Rev. L. E. Lakin, of Kansas City, will preach at the First Christian Church Sunday morning on the subject, "Group Evangelism." At the evening service he will speak on the subject, "The Confirmation of Faith."

Sunday school will start at the usual time, at 9:30 o'clock. Church services will begin at 10:45. The night services at 7:30 o'clock.

The young people's societies will meet at 6:30 o'clock.

The choir will sing an anthem, "Oh, Could I Speak the Matchless Worth," by Stults. A male quartet, composed of John Mutz, Richard Nelson, Leon Cannon, and E. A. Nelson, will sing "We Come in Jesus' Name," by Ramlet. At the evening service the junior choir will sing the anthem, "Seek Ye the Lord," by Adams.

Bright White Way of Churches Seen

Electric Sign Method of Advertising Like the Theatre Practical, William Hodge, Actor, Says.

That the churches will soon carry big electric signs on their facades as do the theatres is the prediction of William Hodge, the famous American actor, who contributes a criticism of religion from the actor's viewpoint to the February issue of "The New Age Illustrated."

"The church should advertise like the theatre," writes this Broadway star. "I enjoy a good sermon, and when I am on the road I pick out a church to attend according to the sign out front. If I see just the name of the building and who the minister is in charge, I pass it by. But if there is a big sign, announcing some subject that attracts and holds me, I mark that church and return to it gladly. The religious speaker should advertise what he is going to talk about the same way as a play's title is advertised—in electric lights if necessary."

For the decrease in interest in religion today, Mr. Hodges blames only the churches themselves. "All the theatres are not crowded any more than all the churches are empty," he points out. "An empty theatre means something wrong, and an empty church means about the same thing. Preachers say it is the fault of the people who do not come out. Managers might make the same complaint when a play they put on is a failure. Make the churches attractive in respect to the message they bring and the problem of the empty pew will be solved. Religion is a serious business, to be sure, but when it becomes too serious, it is apt to become dull."

First Church of Christ Scientist.

Services at First Church of Christ, Scientist, on South Main street, Sunday morning at 11 o'clock:

Lesson subject, "Love."

Wednesday evening service at 8 o'clock.

Reading rooms in church building open every Wednesday and Saturday afternoons from 3 to 5 o'clock.

Sunday School Sunday morning at 9:45 o'clock.

The public is cordially invited to these services and to visit the reading rooms.

Marshall to Vote on Bonds.

Marshall, Mo., Jan. 27.—A bond issue of $230,000 will be voted on by Marshall citizens next Tuesday for improvement of the municipal light and sewer system.

CHILDREN TO HAVE CHURCH

METHODISTS PROVIDE THEM SERVICE OF THEIR OWN.

STORY-SERMON FIRST

Pastor to Tell "How God Talks to Us."—Book Sermon and Boys' Choir Sunday Night.

A Children's Church has been organized at the First Methodist Church and will be tried out Sunday morning.

The children will meet first in the main auditorium immediately after Sunday school to join with the older folks in the opening and prayer. Then the Rev. W. S. Woodhull will give them a five-minute story sermon on "How God Talks to Us." After the talk the children will go to their own room and hold their own services.

Mrs. Guy Haller will be in charge of the children's service and all children under 12 years of age are invited.

Sunday night the third dramatic Book Sermon will be given by the Reverend Mr. Woodhull. It will be on a story by Ian MacClaren, called, "A Doctor of the Old School."

"The story," Mr. Woodhull announces, "will tell of the life-long, self-forgetable service given the folks of Drumtochty by a man who thought to the last there was no prayer fit for his lips except that of the Publican. There are many fine glimpses of the sturdy Scotch character in the tale."

Mrs. Leonard Bosch will sing an old Scotch hymn, "My Ain Countree." There will be a group of songs by a vested choir of twenty-five boys, who will sing, "A Gladsome Night," by Sullivan.

The morning sermon of the Reverend Mr. Woodhull will be on the fifth great parable, "The Greatest Story Ever Told." The choir will sing the anthem by Watson, "Hear, O Lord," the solo part being taken by Mrs. Bess Thorp. A solo will be rendered by Bernhardt Bronson, "My Son Attend to My Word," from Sullivan's oratorio, "The Prodigal Son."

Postpone Homecoming at Mozingo Valley

The annual homecoming of the Mozingo Valley Community Sunday School, which had been arranged for Sunday, January 29 at the church five miles east of Pickering, has been postponed until a later date on account of the death of the Rev. H. A. Doughty of Pickering.

The date of the homecoming will be announced later.

Versatile Water Tap Spouts Liquor Also

Akron, O., Jan. 27.—A versatile water spigot was discovered here recently by detectives raiding a house in search of liquor.

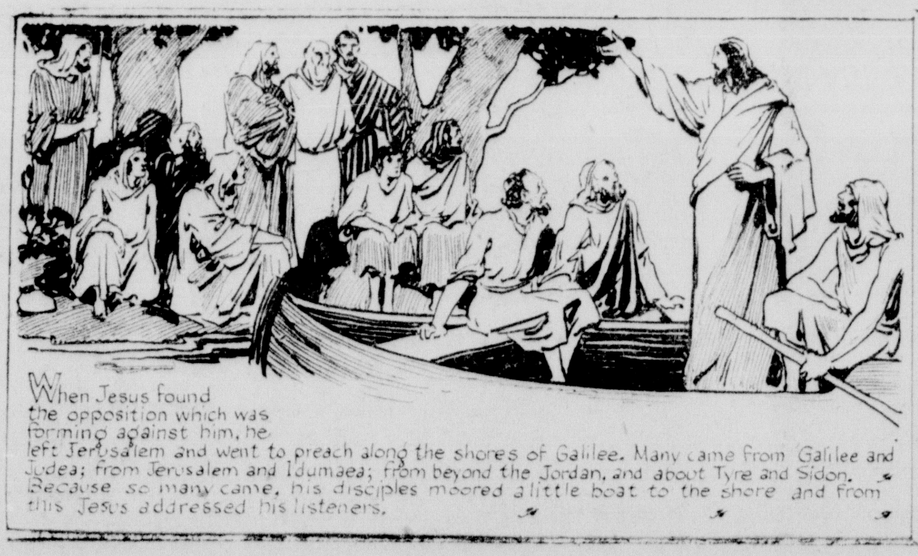
The spigot, if turned on in the ordinary way, would produce a stream of clear water. If a slender instrument such as a knife blade were inserted at the base, a stream of not so clear corn liquor issued forth.

Celebrates 100th Birthday.

Mexico, Mo., Jan. 27.—William Fitzhugh Buckner, one of six known survivors of the Mexican War, today celebrated his one hundredth birthday. He is a retired merchant and bank president at Paris, Mo., near here.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON : : : : : By Harlowe R. Hoyt and Walter Scott

THE GROWNIG FAME OF JESUS



When Jesus found the opposition which was forming against him, he left Jerusalem and went to preach along the shores of Galilee. Many came from Galilee and Judea; from Jerusalem and Idumaea; from beyond the Jordan, and about Tyre and Sidon. Because so many came, his disciples moored a little boat to the shore and from this Jesus addressed his listeners.

So his fame spread; and wherever he went, Jesus was surrounded by the sick and ailing. Whenever he entered cities or villages, they laid their sick in the market places, and begged him to heal them. And those whom he touched were made well.

The Blazing Horizon

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FICTION

by ERNEST LYNN

THE STORY THUS FAR

The story is laid in the Indian territory and along the Kansas border in the '80's, when a fight was being waged by the "Boomers" for the opening of the territory to settlement.

Chief of characters are:

TONY HARRISON, orphaned at 13 when his father was murdered in a poker game;

PAWNEE BILL, adventurer, Indian interpreter and showman;

JOE CRAIG, who takes Tony to the Bar K ranch to live;

TITUS MOORE, owner of the Bar K;

RITA MOORE, his little tomboy daughter.

When Tony is 15, Rita and her mother depart for Virginia and the boy learns for the first time how much he cares for the little red-haired, arrogant miss.

Word is received months later that DAVID PAYNE, leader of the "Boomers," and chief agitator for the opening of Oklahoma, is dead. Pawnee Bill is one of Payne's sympathizers, and so is Tony, although his benefactor, Titus Moore, opposes the opening with all his might. When Pawnee Bill goes out the following year with a wild west show he takes Tony along, and when the boy returns Rita is back.

CHAPTER XXXXI.

"Sure, it was closed," Craig told him. "They caught the cashier coming out and made him unlock the door and let them in. They got away with six or seven thousand dollars."

"You're sure it was Benton?"

"Positive. He recognized me; that's why he let me have it. He's shaved off his beard, but I know I wasn't mistaken."

They lingered a few minutes more and then together went to the morgue. But neither of them recognized the man Tony had brought down; he was a thin-faced man they had never seen before. He had been shot through the back of the head.

The doctor insisted that Craig remain under his care, and they spent that night and several more in Tony's cabin. Four days passed before the physician would permit them to depart for the Bar K; and in the meantime Lafe Whitney had ridden up to Caldwell to learn what had happened.

Back at the ranch the winter closed in and rolled by uneventfully. Rita's letters to Tony had ceased—his own fault, he told himself, because he had been such a poor correspondent while traveling with Buffalo Bill's show. But he gave the matter little thought: of late a vicious, devil-may-care attitude had settled on him; he was living in a man's world and finding an arrogant satisfaction in professing a profound contempt for all womankind.

At night there was the inevitable game of stud poker, in which Titus Moore invariably sat until eleven o'clock came to beckon him to bed; and at times the colonel's eyes, as they dwelt briefly on Tony during the betting, held a flicker of anxiety. It might have been that his memory was running back to a day more than six years before, when a black-haired little fellow, shy and heavy-eyed with grief, had first come to the Bar K; but such thoughts as he might have been thinking he never voiced.

There was much to occupy Titus Moore's mind as it was. In a week or two he would be traveling to Washington, and not on a pleasure trip, although he would, of course, manage to see Rita while there. Its object was business; there were bills being brought before Congress for the opening of the Oklahoma lands, and the cattlemen needed one from among them to guide the activities of their lobby.

The cry of the land-hungry was swelling louder and louder throughout the country. The poverty-stricken, the adventurous, the credulous who believed that Oklahoma was a golden Eldorado beckoning them to come and stuff their pockets with her wealth, were bending over maps and tracing trembling forefingers across the outlines of the Indian territory.

"Public domain!" was the cry. "Public domain! Let us in!"

It was doubtful if many knew what they were talking about, but the cry swelled just the same. In Oklahoma was land, land, land! Land free for the taking if the government would but let them in. But the government, which did not dare deny that the two million acres in the heart of the territory was public domain, turned a deaf ear; and when the outery against the cattle barons thundered loudest it issued orders to the cowmen to remove their property—orders which it knew very well would be disregarded.

As far as the two-million-acre tract commonly known as Oklahoma was concerned, the cattlemen in the Cherokee Strip would not have been concerned one way or the other about its being opened for settlement but for one thing: they knew that once Oklahoma was opened it would be a question of only a short time until other vast sections of land in the territory would be thrown open, and the Cherokee Strip would be among them.

So the Cherokee Live Stock Association fought with all its might to quell the rising sentiment for free land; fought with all the influence at its command—which was mighty—fought with its money through a powerful lobby, that the holdings of its members, which were leased for a song from the Cherokee nation, might not be taken away and given to "nesters," a hated term they had affixed to those who tilled the soil.

The maintained a diligent lookout for all invasions on the part of the Boomers, reported these to the United States troops stationed in the territory, and noted with satisfaction that the cavalry moved quickly to drive the impertinent ones out.

But the cry for land rang louder and a new note crept into the propaganda of the Boomers. There were tales of suffering, of cruel treatment of the invaders at the hands of the soldiers. Tales of men being driven out at the saber's point, of women and children being forced out of the territory, at a run, of beatings and threats and deaths.

These things were vigorously denied, both by the soldiery and the cattlemen. But they persisted, in spite of the lack of proof; and they were twisted and magnified and deformed into a mighty accusation of persecution and martyrdom.

And the cause of the Boomers grew stronger. The death of David Payne, the "crucified", had added to their sympathizers, and the picture of a sad-eyed man with mustache and goatee adorned thousands of maps of "The Promised Land" and the walls of homes and public places. But something more tangible than sentiment came to the support of the cause. The Santa Fe railroad, running north and south through the Indian territory, saw potential business in the vast undeveloped lands; spots here and there which were nothing more than river valleys or prairie stretches might, under the magic lure of free homes for all, be converted into cities almost over night. So there was talk of the Santa Fe, with its wealth and its power, being behind the movement; and of the Rock Island also.

And the cities of Kansas visioned a great market to the south of them. Open the gates and let the settlers swarm into the territory and there would be an immediate demand for Kansas products and Kansas would grow richer. Let the plow tap the fabled wondrous fertility of Oklahoma and Kansas would use such things as she herself did not produce. By all means open Oklahoma; people the uninhabited area to the south that retarded Kansas' growth!

Chambers of commerce swung into line and sent delegates to Washington and the controversy raged within the portals of the United States capitol. But government was slow to move; the cattlemen's lobby was most active and the House and Senate majorities were cautious; talk revolved around "sacred treaties" and "cessions" and "fairness to the Indians."

Titus Moore spent the spring of 1887 in Washington. He witnessed his daughter's graduation and then accompanied Rita and Mrs. Moore to New York and saw them depart for a summer in Europe. When he returned to the ranch there were many sessions with George W. Miller the other member of the cattleman's association. Miller and his eldest son, Joe, had swung to the belief that the opening of Oklahoma was only a matter of time.

"Fact is," said George Miller, "I'm thinking of buying some land from the Ponca Indians down south of my place. When you other fellows have to move out I'll stay."

But he was quite willing, he said, to forestall the opening as long as possible if increasing the lobby's subsidy could do it.

Pawnee Bill kept assiduously away from the Bar K. Word had gone out that a long-haired man, a heroic looking figure, was to be seen frequently wherever the Boomers assembled, and he thought it best not to put too great a strain on the courtesy of Colonel Moore.

The winter past he had spent as a teacher in a country school near Wellington, and he had held down the job admirably, although it was a post that required more brawn than brains and he had quelled an uprising by lifting a giant pupil from his seat and flinging him out doors.

He was saving his money against the day when he should launch his own show. Sells Brothers commissioned him to get them some Indians. He went down to Pawnee and found a warrant for his arrest awaiting him, charging him with taking Indians away from a United States reservation. He was turned over to an Indian policeman, who was charged with delivering him, together with a letter of explanation, to an agent some miles away.

He plied the policeman with cigars and other little kindnesses along the route, and when the Indian looked the other way long enough for him to choose a handy exit, he took it, and the red-skinned arm of the law did not waste any of its precious time looking for the fugitive who was beating his second forced retreat from the Indian Territory. In fact, when he delivered his letter to the agent and the latter, looked up in astonishment, asked, "Where is the man you were supposed to bring?" the stoical gendarme replied calmly, "No man," and let it go at that.

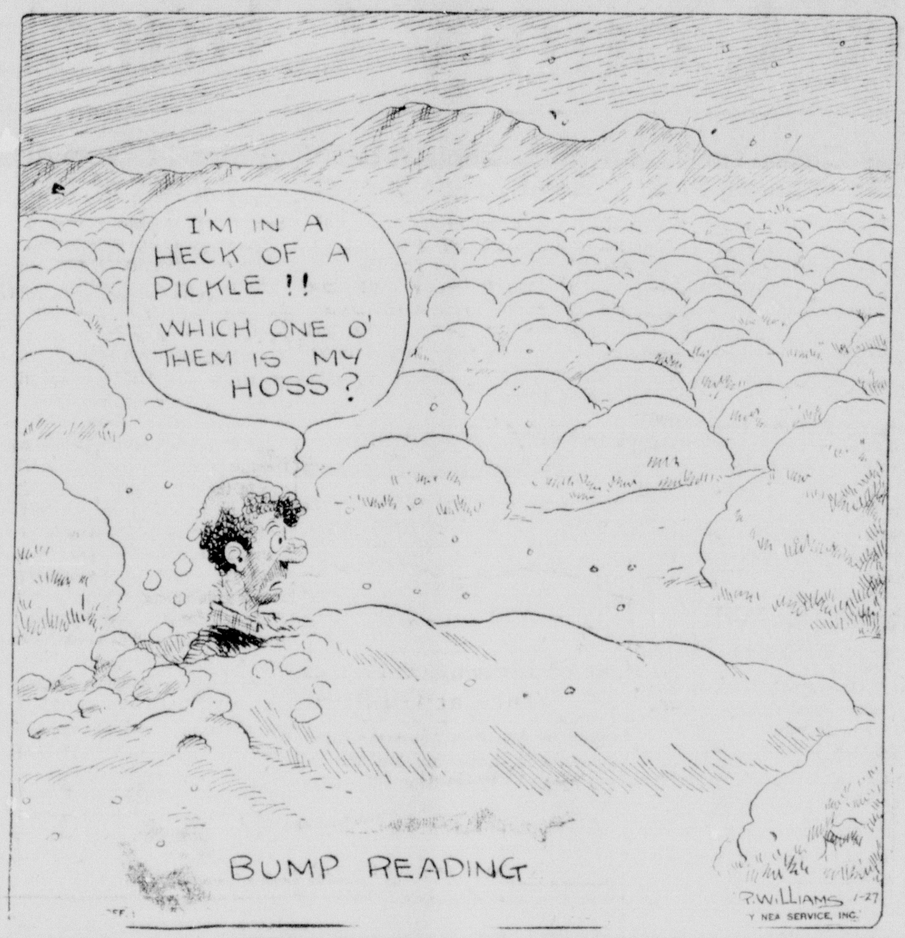
That summer Pawnee Bill launched out for himself in a small way, putting on a rather poor show in connection with the fairs at Winfield, Peabody, Newton, Hutchison, Wichita and other Kansas towns. But, bad as they were, he was now a showman in his own right.

Tony did not hear from him directly but he kept hearing much about Pawnee Bill. The man's name had spread; everyone in Kansas appeared to know him and from the Atlantic coast to the Pacific there were those who, having purchased tickets or read bill posters or newspapers, knew of a picturesque man with long hair and a stout heart who had spent much of his life among the Indians, knew their language and their customs and was hailed by them as a white chief.

(To Be Continued.)

Rita returns, and Tony Harrison's man's world goes to smash at sight of her. Read the next chapter.

OUT OUR WAY. By Williams



New Secretary for Pickering Exchange

C. R. Harman Chosen at Annual Meeting.—Three to 50th Anniversary in Kansas City.

(By O .G. Null.)

PICKERING—At the annual meeting of the membership of the Pickering Exchange the first of the week, C. R. Harman was chosen as manager of the exchange for the ensuing year. He will assume his duties February 1.

The directors-elect are J. L. Neal, Ed Hanna, T. L. McClurg, C. O. Pistole, A. S. Byerum, M. E. Torrey and Ed Wiley.

Ernest Ingels has been manager of the exchange for the past two years.

Mrs. W. O. Saunders, Mrs. M. E. Torrey, Mrs. Nancy Craven, Mrs. Geo. Porterfield and Mrs. W. B. Porter, of Glendale district, spent Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kellogg near Hopkins.

W. C. Smith, manager of the lumber yard at this place, went to Kansas City Thursday morning, where he will attend the Southwestern Lumbermen's convention, in session there this week.

Mrs. Anna Hornbuckle went to Kansas City Friday, where she will attend the Fiftieth anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Reynolds of that city. She will be accompanied from St. Joseph by her daughter, Mrs. Harry Penland and Mr. Penland. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hantze of Bloomfield neighborhood will also attend the anniversary. Mrs. Reynolds is the only sister of Mrs. Hornbuckle's husband, the late N. T. Hornbuckle.

Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Carmichael were Mr. and Mrs. Miles Spargur and Mr. and Mrs. Chester Logan of Sheridan and Mrs. Henry Shelman of Parnell. Mr. Logan is a brother and Mrs. Spargur and Mrs. Shelman sisters of Mrs. Carmichael.

Orlo Lincoln of Creston visited his mother, Mrs. H. M. Lincoln, and other relatives here the first of the week.

Mrs. J. A. Mann, her son, Marvin, and daughter, Mabel, and Raymond Carmichael drove to Griswold, Ia., last Saturday where they visited at the homes of Mrs. Mann's daughters, Mrs. Robert Spiker and Mrs. Geo. Bosick. They returned home late Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hornbuckle of Barnard spent last Sunday here at the home of Mr. Hornbuckle's mother, Mrs. Anna Hornbuckle.

Miss Bess Kemper, a former teacher in the Pickering schools, now teaching at Burlington Junction, and her mother, Mrs. Mollie Kemper, were guests of Mrs. Agnes Lunte and daughters last Sunday.

J. H. Gray sent a load of Hereford yearling steers from his farm near Maryville to his farm in Bloomdale neighborhood, where they will be put on feed for the market.

R. L. Rice recently purchased a large barn near Hopkins, which he planned to move to his farm east of Pickering without tearing it down. However, the Highway Commission refused to permit him to bring it over the State Highway in that manner and he will probably have to tear it down which will be much more expensive.

Depot Parking Space Leveled With Cinders

Improvement Made at Skidmore Railway Station—All Church Services to be at M. E. Church.

(By The Rev. J. V. Hawk.)

SKIDMORE.—The depot parking space has been leveled with a car load of cinders. The old condition was not at all a delight in the wet weather and the improvement will be hailed with pleasure by the public.

Sunday morning the Methodist Episcopal church has all the preaching service there will be. Dr. Christie will spend Sunday morning with the Centenary people. Sunday night will begin a series of special meetings. All churches will dismiss at night.

Dr. W. B. Owen spent a short time in town Sunday.

J. O. Miller and his family were enjoying the renewing of old friendships in Skidmore Sunday.

The Rev. J. V. Hawk was seriously ill Tuesday. It didn't last so long, he confided, but "did business at the time."

Mrs. James Gale, Mrs. Milt Stovall, Mrs. David Mitchell, Mrs. M. Gray, Josephine Kennedy and Laddie Weddle, were "shut-ins" with hard colds during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Davis and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Latta of Shenandoah, Ia., were at the home of their parents Mr. and Mrs. David White over Sunday.

A birthday dinner in honor of Clas. Robbins was given at the Robbins' home Sunday with Mrs. Elizabeth Horne and family and Mrs. E. K. Robbins and children of Mound City as guests.

The Federated class of the M. E. Sunday School will meet next week, Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Herman Roeff.

Dr. E. L. Robison, Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Hays and Mrs. J. V. Hawk were dinner and supper guests with Mr. and Mrs. David White last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sutterlin had Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Hawk and Dr. E. L. Robison as dinner guests at a good old fashioned farmer's table Monday noon. Home made pork ribs and country cream you could skate on and etcetera not on the market we do not undertake to describe.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. McClurg had Dr. Robison as a guest at dinner and supper Friday.

During his two weeks residence in Skidmore, Dr. Robison made his home with Mr. and Mrs. Mark Loucks. Dr. Robison was a dinner guest at the home of W. H. Montgomery Monday evening.

Dr. E. J. Gale, president of Missouri Wesleyan college, preached in the M. E. Church Sunday morning to the delight of the people judging from the appreciative expressions heard following the discourse. Monday night Dr. Gale preached at Burlington Junction and returned to Skidmore to accept the invitation of Superintendent Pierce to address the student body of the High School.

Sherman Fullerton spent the week-end in St. Joseph with the families of Mr. and Mrs. Will Irwin and Mr. and Mrs. Jewel Smith. They went by auto and returned Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Loucks entertained Sunday noon in honor of the Rev. E. J. Gale, D. D., president of Missouri Wesleyan college, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Hawk, Ruth and Anna Lee Money, Mary Esther Loucks, and Louise Hoblitzell and Theodore Medsker were guests.

Dr. E. L. Robison was called to Westboro, Mo., to the funeral of a former parishioner Saturday. Dr. Robison had been pastor at Westboro for nine years.

The Frank Barrett family were dinner guests at the home of John McMahon last Sunday.

Joe Lehman and family had their farm sale Wednesday and will make their future home in Clarinda, Iowa.

Mrs. Austin of Mound City, Mo., was a Sunday guest in the home of her brother, Milt Stovall.

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By SHIRLEY BLAKE

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"Old Oaken Bucket" Presented at Elmo

Cast From Union School Makes a Hit.—Several Families in and Near Elmo Move.

ELMO.—The play, "the Old Oaken Bucket," was presented in the high school auditorium on Wednesday evening by the patrons of the Union school. Crain's orchestra furnished the music. Joe Hull was the comedian Miss Della Calfee the heroine, and Mr. and Mrs. Ace Akin the honest farmer and his wife. The play was fine, as the actors knew their parts.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Younger were in Maryville Wednesday and attended a show.

Charley Lamar has employed Ralph Johnston to assist in his cattle feeding and farm work. The Johnston's have moved to town and are living in Mrs. Carrie Hall's house.

Mrs. Anna Anderson has moved into the Monroe house and Mrs. Britt has moved into her own home. Mr. and Mrs. Otis Britt will move to the Britt farm.

Lee G. Martin of Braddyville was a business caller in Elmo Thursday.

Miss Charline Adkins was taken to the hospital in Maryville Wednesday for x-ray treatments.

The Ladies Aid society of the M. E. church met at the Glenn Bailey home Thursday afternoon to quilt.

Mr. and Mrs. Ogal Livengood were business callers in Clarinda, Ia., Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Hollie Ecker and daughters were calling on Mrs. Nelson Thursday afternoon.

Reuben Horn and family moved into town Wednesday into Mrs. Alta Perry's house.

Andy Horn still continues very ill at his home here.

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There are women in your state—perhaps in your town—who have written letters similar to this one telling how much Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has helped them.

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Wednesday, Feb. 1

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7 HEAD OF HORSES—Pair of gray mares 12 years old, weight 2700, good workers and gentle; pair of mares, black and bay, 4 and 8 years old, weight 2800, gentle, good workers; 1 black colt, 2 years old, draft colt; 1 suckling draft colt; 1 bay horse, 7 years old.

17 HEAD OF CATTLE—Most of them purebred Shorthorn: 7 cows, 3 yearling heifers, 2 bulls (purebred Shorthorn, one yearling), 1 summer calf, 3 steer calves, 2 heifer calves.

66 HEAD OF BLACK POLAND-CHINA HOGS—All hogs are vaccinated; 20 head of tried brood sows, bred for March and April pigs; 1 boar; 45 head of fall pigs.

HAY AND GRAIN—10 tons half timothy and clover hay, baled; some loose clover hay in the barn; some baled oats straw; 15 bus. good yellow seed corn, picked early before gathering time.

FARM IMPLEMENTS—1 new John Deere disc, 16x16; 1 new Champion mower; 1 buck rake; 1 hay rake; Deering binder, 7-ft.; one 4-horse wheat drill with grass seed attachment; 1 Rock Island riding lister and drill combined; 1 riding cultivator; 1 walking cultivator; one-row go-devil; 1 horse drill; sulky plow, 16 inch; 1 walking stirring plow, 14 inch; 2-section harrow; 1-row stalk cutter; 1 Peter Schuttler wagon; 1 low wheel wagon and rack; 1 top buggy; 1 sleigh; 3 sets of work harness; 1 set of double buggy harness; 1 set single harness; grindstone; sickle grinder; lawn mower; iron kettle; 2 oil barrels; 2 cross-cut saws; post hole auger; post hole diggers; wire stretchers; forks and shovels; set of new chisels; brace and bits and other tools; hog oiler; hog troughs; hog catcher; chicken coops; 2 pair of buggy shalves; 1 saddle; some stove wood; organ, radio and other articles not mentioned.

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LOST 10

LOST—Sorority pin bearing Greek letters, name on back.—Please return to this office. Reward.

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FOUND 11

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1—1925 Dodge Sedan.
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HORSES, CATTLE, SWINE 34

MULES WANTED—Bring them in or phone me. I will call and see them.—Jim Andy Ford.

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FOR SALE—Purebred Jersey bull eight and half months old.—W. L. Carpenter, Burlington Junction.

FOR SALE—Bay horse, seven; weight 1500; sound and good worker; $75. Two purebred Jersey male calves, 150 lbs., each $12.50.—Russell Clayton, Pickering phone.

MERCHANDISE

ARTICLES FOR SALE 37

FOR SALE—Fada radio, complete, good condition, cheap.—C. J. Eckert, Farmers 290.

FOR SALE—Todd Protectograph check writer.—Hanamo 325, Farmers 328.

FEEDS, GRAINS 37A

FOR SALE—Baled timothy hay.—Mrs. E. J. Williams, 333 East Third, Hanamo 227.

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WANTED TO BUY 38

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RESIDENCES AND ROOMS

APARTMENTS AND FLATS 39

SOLID COMFORT—Furnished apartments now ready.—Chas. Hyslop.

FOR RENT—Two apartments, furnished or unfurnished; also one office room.—Inquire O. K. Furniture Exchange.

FARMS, LANDS FOR RENT 41

FOR RENT—Stockfield, by month.—Will Wells, Mutual 38 12.

FOR RENT—80-acre farm near Elmo, cash rent.—Write or call Mrs. Hattie Younger, 322 East Sixth.

HOUSES FOR SALE 47

FOR SALE—5-room modern cottage, 615 South Buchanan. Large rooms, nice closet off both bedrooms, garage in basement. Priced to sell.—Fred C. Newlon, Hanamo 30FX.

FOR SALE—6-room house, modern. Going to move to another state. Call at residence.—391 East Third St.

WANTED—REAL ESTATE 49

WANT to hear from owner having farm for sale in Missouri, suitable for general farming and stock raising. Send description and lowest cash price.—John C. Baker, DeQueen, Arkansas.

Fire at Green Home in Conception Jct.

Flaming Curtains Cause Alarm but Department Beats Blaze With Little Damage.

CONCEPTION—The fire department was called out about noon Tuesday to the home of E. L. Green in Conception Junction. The curtains caught fire from a coal oil stove on which Mrs. Green was preparing dinner. The interior of the kitchen was somewhat damaged from fire and chemicals.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Eagan, Jr., and children and Mrs. S. E. Savage and children were Sunday evening guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Eagan, sr.

No, that isn't thunder we have been hearing—Merely a big noise in Washington.

Car of Limestone on Track at Guilford

Farmers Hauling It to "Sweeten Soil" —Town Without Phone Service Wednesday.

GUILFORD.—A carload of limestone from Savannah is on the track at Guilford. Several of the farmers are hauling it out to spread on their clover and alfalfa ground.

The people in and about Guilford were without telephone service Wednesday afternoon and part of Thursday. The various lines coming into town are being combined into a cable. This is put under the ground from the city limits to the telephone office and will mean much better service to the Guilford telephone company.

The "B" geography class of the Pleasant View school are working on maps. New England States have been completed and they are now drawing the Middle Atlantic. In supplementary reading this same class is reading "King of the Golden River."

The "D" and "C" grades are enjoying "Billy Whiskers in Mischief" during story hour.

Each morning the school session is begun by singing two or three selections from favorite songs.

Much interest is being shown in spelling. The entire school has chosen up into two sides, "Jolly Workers" and "Busy Sunbeams." Each member that doesn't miss a word receives a head mark. The side having the most marks will be entertained by the losing side March 2.

Officers Elected at Prairie Star Meeting

Elvin Holker Made President.—Program Extemporaneous.—P. P. Mace Family Moves.

Prairie Star—The people of Prairie Star community met at the school house last Thursday night and organized. Elvin Holker was elected president; Henry Morehouse, vice-president; and Mrs. Art Bonar, secretary and treasurer.

The people in and about Guilford were without telephone service Wednesday afternoon and part of Thursday. The various lines coming into town are being combined into a cable. This is put under the ground from the city limits to the telephone office and will mean much better service to the Guilford telephone company.

Community meetings are to be held once every month. The next one will be February 15. An entertainment committee and a refreshment committee were appointed by the president to provide for the next meeting. Those on the entertainment committee are Wilda Mace, Opal Churchill and Robert Bonar; on the refreshment committee, Mrs. Joe Holker, Mrs. Art Bonar and Mrs. Henry Morehouse.

An extemporeneous program was given Thursday night. Each family present contributed at least one number. Probably the most unusual and one of the best numbers was a reading given by Al Maxwell, 72 years old, who first gave the reading when he was 17 years old. Another interesting feature of the program was "fortune-telling" by Mrs. William McCowen from Sioux City, Iowa. About six teen persons were made happy or sad by the prospects that were read for them. Refreshments of sandwiches, pickles, and pie were served.

P. P. Mace and family moved from this district to town the first of the week. We are indeed sorry to lose this family from our midst. Not only are the two boys, Dale and Eugene, much missed in school but the entire family will be missed in the community activities as they were great workers here. Mr. Mace was one of the members of the school board.

Alleged Murderer Taken Near Clarinda

West Virginia Fugitive Captured After Nearly Six Years of Liberty.

(Clarinda Herald)

Nearly six years of liberty from the toils of justice ended last Monday for George White, formerly of McDowell county, W. Va., when he was arrested by Sheriffs Robert McCurdy and Earl Downing upon the request of Sheriff McGinnis Hatfield of Welch, W. Va., for the fatal shooting of Charlie Witrow, and the wounding of Mrs. Withrow and a boy, George Summers. The fray occurred February 12, 1922, at Maybeury, W. Va., about twenty miles from Welch which is the countyseat.

The information that White, who had been going under the name of John or Jack Rachel while working near Clarinda, was wanted reached the county officers by means of a letter from Sheriff Hatfield. The latter, acknowledging that he could have saved a few days by telegraphing, stated that he preferred to explain more fully the care that the arresting officers should take in apprehending White, whom he described to be a dangerous man.

White was found at the west Pearson mine. Accompanied by Harley Pearson, the officers went out to the mine and sent in word to White that he was wanted on the phone by William Winger with whom he had been staying. He came up the shaft within a reasonable time but when he saw three men awaiting him at the top, appeared to realize that he was wanted for another reason.

The man was brought to the county jail and the eastern officer-sheriff wired. Two officers, Harry Franklin and R. D. Gibson, deputy sheriff and constable respectively, arrived Wednesday morning. White, who had waived extradition, started eastward with them the same evening, local officers driving them to take the 6:40 train out of Villisca.

His trial will begin next Monday, Constable Gibson said while here, as the county attorney before they left indicated that he was ready to start the case. He will face three indictments.

Sunday Day of Dread to Railway Engineers

Drivers of Engines Fear Careless Motorists on Sabbath Day and Some Refuse to Work.

Cleveland, Ohio, Jan. 27.—Sunday is a day of dread among locomotive engineers in view of the increasing number of grade crossing crashes on that day, Homer D. Howard, veteron engineer, told the National Road Builders at their convention here.

Many engineers, Howard said, refuse to work on the Sabbath in fear that a careless motorist will disregard signals and drive into the path of their train.

Howard advocated the law recently adopted by the Illinois legislature which makes it compulsory for motorists to bring their cars to a complete stop at all railroad crossings.

"The look of horror on a motorists face as he finds his machine stalled on the crossing cannot be compared with the feelings of the engineer as he sees the imminent crash," Howard said. "The careless driver who gets himself killed at a crossing, not only endangers the lives of hundreds of persons on the train, but also is a detriment to the welfare of the country."

Have you heard that sober ballad about the flapper: "Just Before the Bottle, Mother?"

DAILY MARKET REPORT

ST. JOSEPH LIVESTOCK.

South St. Joseph, Jan. 27.—Hogs 7,500; active and fully steady; top, $8.10; majority 160 to 340 pound offerings, $7.90 to $8.05; packing sows largely, $6.75 to $7.

Cattle 500; calves, 2,600; beef steers and yearlings mostly steady; other killers little changed; veal top $12.50; stockers and feeders scarce.

Sheep 7,500; fat lambs strong; top, $13.90; aged stock steady; top fat ewes, $7.75.

KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK.

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 27.—Hogs, 5,500; market steady to 10c higher than Thursday's average; top, $8.10 on 180 to 300 pounds, 250-350, $7.85 to $8.10; 200-250, $7.90 to $8.10; 160-200, $7.80 to $8.10; 150-160, $7.65 to $8.05; 90-130, $7 to $7.50; packing sows, $6.50 to $7.35.

Cattle 350; calves 50; market steady; beef steers, $11.85 to $15.50; light yearling steers and heifers blank; beef cows, $7 to $9.25; low cutters, cutter cows, $5 to $6.50; vealers, $9 to $13.

Sheep 3,000; market steady to strong. Top fat lambs, $13.90; bulk fat lambs, $13.25 to $13.90.

OMAHA LIVESTOCK.

Omaha, Jan. 27.—Cattle 500; market steady; yearlings, $10 to $15.25; steers, $10.50 to $17; cows and heifers, $5.25 to $12.50; stockers and feeders, $6.75 to $13.25; calves, $7 to $12; bulls and stags, $7.50 to $9.50; rangers blank.

Hogs 13,000; market steady to strong; bulk of sales, $7.85 to $8; top, $8.

Sheep 5,000; fat lambs steady to 10c lower; others steady; yearlings, $9 to $11; feeder lambs, $11 to $13.60; fat lambs, $10.50 to $13.65; fat ewes, $4.50 to $7.75.

EAST ST. LOUIS LIVESTOCK.

East St. Louis, Jan. 27.—Hogs, 18,000; holdovers, 3,495; market steady; 250-350, $7.90 to $8.20; 200-250, $8.15 to $8.35; 160-200, $8 to $8.35; 150-160, $7.25 to $8.30; 90-130, $5.75 to $7.50; packing sows, $6.75 to 57.25.

Cattle 1,000; calves 750; market, steers steady; beef steers, $9.25 to $13.25; light yearling steers and heifers, $8.50 to $12.50; beef cows, $7.25 to $9; low cutters, cutter cows, $5.25 to $6.50; vealers, $16; heavy calves, $7.50 to $10.50; bulk stockers, feeders, $7.75 to $11.

Sheep 300; market steady; top fat lambs, $14; bulk fat lambs, $13.75 to $14; bulk cull lambs, $10 to $10.50; bulk fat ewes, $6 to $7.25.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK.

By Department of Agriculture

Cattle 2,000; generally steady; shipper demand inactive; steers scarce; mostly lower grades selling at $11.50 to $13.50; sprinkling at $14 to $14.75 with best 1490 pound averages at $15.50; light yearlings, $13.25 downward; few loads heifer yearlings, $11.50 to $12.50; bulls scarce, weak and demand narrow; mostly light vealers, $12.50 to $13; shippers up to $15.

Sheep 12,000; fat lambs opened steady to strong; all interests fairly active; early bulk better grade desirable weight fat lambs, $13.75 to $14; handyweights to outsiders upward to $14.15; best held higher; 89 to 90 pounds, $13.85; 100 to 110 pound throwouts, $12.50 to $12.75; sheep firm; bulk fat ewes, $7.75 to $8; feeding lambs scarce, about steady.

Hogs 44,000; market fairly active strong to 10c higher; mostly 5 to 10c higher; big packers not following advance, inactive; desirable pigs 10 to 15c higher; spots 25c up; packing sows sharing advance of better grade hogs; top, $8.30; bulk desirable 160 to 210 pound offerings, $8.20 to $8.30; 230 to 300 pound weights, $8.10 to $8.20; 140 to 160 pounds mostly $8 to $8.25; bulk pigs, $7 to $7.50; strong weights, $7.75 or better; most packing sows, $7.10 to $7.50.

Kansas City Grain.

Kansas City, Jan. 27.—Wheat 116; market, hard unchanged; red, No. 2 hard, $1.25½ to $1.68; No. 3 hard, $1.22 to $1.67; No. 2 red, $1.43 to $1.48; No. 3 red, $1.35 to $1.45.

Corn: 284; unchanged; No. 2 mixed, 79c to 80c; No. 3 mixed, 76½c to 79c; No. 2 yellow, 81c to 81½c; No. 3 yellow, 78½c to 81c; No. 2 white, 80c to 81c.

Oats: 7; market unchanged; No. 2 white, nominal, 56c to 58c; No. 2 red, nominal, blank; rye, No. 2, nominal, $1.01 to $1.02; barley, No. 3, nominal, 83c to 86c; kafir, No. 2 nominal, $1.32 to $1.34; No. 3 nominal, $1.30 to $1.32; No. 4 nominal, $1.28 to $1.30; milo, No. 2, nominal, $1.43 to $1.46; No. 3, nominal, $1.40 to $1.45; No. 4, nominal, $1.37½ to $1.41; prairie, No. 1, $9.50 to $11; alfalfa, choice, $21 to $23.50; timothy, No. 1, $12 to $13.

St. Louis Cash Grain.

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 27.—Wheat: No. 2 red, $1.52 to $1.54; No. 3, red, $1.50 to $1.51; 1 hard, $1.33½ to $1.34; 2 hard, $1.33; 4 hard, $1.30.

Corn: 2 white, 86c to 89½c; 3 white, 84c to 85c; 4 white, 83c.

Oats: 2 white, 56½c to 58c; 3 white, 55c to 56c; 4 white, 54½c.

CHICAGO GRAIN RANGE.

Wheat	Open	High	Low	Close	Yest.
Mar.	1.29⅝	1.30½	1.29½	1.30⅜	1.29⅞
May	1.29⅞	1.30⅞	1.29⅞	1.30¾	1.30⅜
July	1.26¼	1.27	1.26⅛	1.26⅞	1.26½
CORN—					
Mar.	.86⅞	.87⅜	.86⅜	.87⅛	.86⅝
May	.89¾	.90⅜	.89½	.90¼	.89⅝
July	.91½	.92	.91	.91⅞	.91⅜
OATS—					
Mar.	.53½	.54	.53½	.53⅞	.54
May	.54⅞	.55	.54½	.54¾	.54⅞
July	.51	.51	.50½	.50⅞	.51
LARD—					
Jan.	11.82	11.87	11.82	11.85	11.82
May	12.10	12.15	12.10	12.10	12.12
July	12.30	12.35	12.30	12.30	12.32
RIBS—					
Jan.	Nominal			11.15	11.15

Chicago Cash Grain.

Chicago, Jan. 27.—Wheat: 3 red, $1.42¼; 2 hard, $1.30½ to $1.31.

Corn: 3 yellow, 87c to 88½c; 4 yellow, 82½c to 86c; 5 yellow, 78¾c to 82c; 6 yellow, 76c to 79c; 5 mixed, 78½c; 6 mixed, 75½c to 77c; 4 white, 82c; 5 white, 78c to 81¾c; 6 white, 76c to 77½c; sample grade, 67c to 76c.

Oats: 2 white, 57¼c; 3 white, 54c to 55¾c; 4 white, 54c to 56¼c.

Rye: None.

Barley: 88c to 96c.

Timothy: $3.10 to $3.85.

Clover: $21.50 to $29.50.

Final Grain Review.

Chicago, Jan. 27.—All grains were nervous and sensitive on export demand but wheat and oats showed little consistent strength.

Working in sharp dips and rallies wheat and corn went through a sensationally erractic closing hour and finished with good fractional gains. Fifteen minutes before the close wheat was a fraction off and corn about steady. Oats finished weak, disappointing holders liquidating. Final figures: wheat, 1¢ to 1½c higher; corn, ½c to 3¢c up and oats 1¢c lower. Provisions closed about steady.

Wheat worked irregularly, with pit conditions largely influencing price changes. Reports from southwest spoke of danger to winter wheat from cold, dry weather and lack of snow coverage. This news caused a rally from the opening dip. With exports small, Argentine shipments increasing and importers still waiting lower prices on North American wheat, the rally soon died and all futures declined. Receipts here were 11 cars and cash remained unchanged.

The seaboard reported export sales of corn estimates at 600,000 bushels with further bids in the market. This news sent corn into a steady upturn. Receipts here, however, were large. Belt weather is favorable and the country marketings continue to pour into principal points. Receipts here totalled 464 cars. Cash corn dropped ½c.

Oats declined fractionally with wheat in a dull market. Receipts were 49 cars and the cash market was unchanged.

Provisions were holding around steady but very quiet.

Chicago Produce.

Chicago, Jan. 27.—Butter receipts 48,298; extra 45½c; extra firsts, 44c to 44½c; firsts, 41c to 42½c; seconds, 38c to 40½c; standards, 45c.

Eggs, receipts, 15,391; firsts, 38c; ordinaries, 35c to 36c; seconds, 32c to 34c.

Cheese: Twins, 26c; young Americas, 27¾c.

Poultry receipts 4 cars; fowls, heavy, 24c; small, 20c; springs, 27c; ducks, heavy, 25c; small, 20c; geese, 18c to 20c; turkeys, 25c to 28c; roosters, 20c.

Potatoes: Arrivals 80; on track 213; in transit, 815.

Wisconsin sacked Round Whites, $1.50 to $1.60; Minnesota sacked Round Whites and Red River Ohios, $1.40 to $1.50; Idaho sacked Russets, Burbanks, No. 1, $1.65 to $1.75; new Florida, too few sales to quote. Sweet potatoes, $1 to $1.65.

St. Louis Produce.

St. Louis, Jan. 27.—Eggs, 36½c; butter extras, 47c; standards, 44c; firsts, 39c; seconds, 35c.

Poultry: Hens, 18c to 22½c; turkeys, 33c; springers, 28c; ducks, 22c to 24c; geese, 17c; cocks, 14c.

Cheese, 29½c.

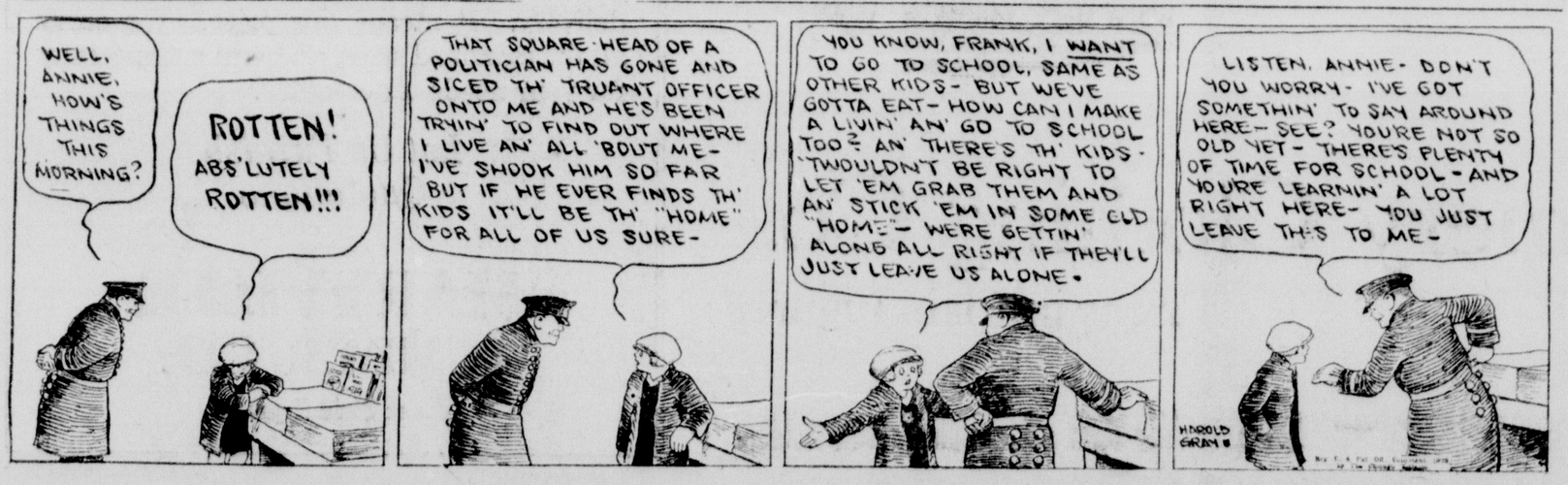
Kansas City Produce.

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 27.—Eggs, 42c; selected, 44c; butter, 49c; hens, 22c; broilers, 30c; turkeys, young toms, 33c; ducks, 16c; geese, 14c.

LOCAL MARKET.

Eggs, doz.	28c
(Held Eggs 6c less)	
Cream, per lb.	42c
Roosters, per lb.	6c
Heavy Hens, per lb.	18c
Light Hens, per lb.	13c
Heavy Springs, per lb.	16c
Leghorn Springs, per lb.	13c
Ducks, per lb.	14c

LITTLE ORPHAN ANNIE: When in Doubt, Call a Cop


WELL, ANNIE, HOW'S THINGS THIS MORNING?
ROTTEN! ABS'LUTELY ROTTEN!!!
THAT SQUARE-HEAD OF A POLITICIAN HAS GONE AND SICED TH' TRUANT OFFICER ONTO ME AND HE'S BEEN TRYIN' TO FIND OUT WHERE I LIVE AN' ALL 'BOUT ME- I'VE SHOOK HIM SO FAR BUT IF HE EVER FINDS TH' KIDS IT'LL BE TH' "HOME" FOR ALL OF US SURE-
YOU KNOW, FRANK, I WANT TO GO TO SCHOOL, SAME AS OTHER KIDS- BUT WE'VE GOTTA EAT- HOW CAN I MAKE A LIVIN' AN' GO TO SCHOOL TOO? AN' THERE'S TH' KIDS- 'TWOULDN'T BE RIGHT TO LET 'EM GRAB THEM AND AN' STICK 'EM IN SOME OLD "HOME"- WE'RE GETTIN' ALONG ALL RIGHT IF THEY'LL JUST LEAVE US ALONE.
LISTEN, ANNIE- DON'T YOU WORRY- I'VE GOT SOMETHIN' TO SAY AROUND HERE- SEE? YOU'RE NOT SO OLD YET- THERE'S PLENTY OF TIME FOR SCHOOL- AND YOU'RE LEARNIN' A LOT RIGHT HERE- YOU JUST LEAVE THIS TO ME-
HAROLD GRAY

TO RACE TIME ACROSS STATE

LAMKIN AND DAVIS RUSH TOGS TO BASKETBALL TEAM.

AT CAPE GIRARDEAU

Leaving Trunk Behind at Station Makes Necessary a 540-Mile Drive.

Speeding in a motor car toward Cape Girardeau, probably somewhere between Kansas City and St. Louis this afternoon, are President Uel W. Lamkin and Assistant Coach E. A. Davis of the State Teachers College.

With them are the uniforms and other equipment which the State Teachers College Bearcats need before they can play basketball with the Cape Girardeau Teachers tonight.

The basketball players, when they entrained for the Southeast Missouri metropolis last night, thought everything was "sitting pretty." Their suits had been cleaned so the team would make a good appearance in its first away-from-home game, and they had been safely packed in a trunk and delivered to the station.

But when the train pulled out, the trunk remained behind. No one, station attendants said, had had it checked.

The discovery was made early this morning and reported by telephone to the college president. Unable to get anyone else to make the trip, the president and Coach Davis decided it was up to them to get the fighting togs to the Bearcats.

The distance to Cape Girardeau, according to figures of the state highway department, is approximately 543 miles. The car bearing the equipment left here at 9 o'clock this morning. If it travels at an average speed of forty miles an hour, the trip will require about fourteen hours and the car will reach the Cape about 11 o'clock tonight.

If an average speed of fifty miles an hour can be maintained, the trip may be made in about eleven hours, bringing the equipment to the Bearcats at 9 o'clock.

The two College officials hoped to complete the hop in twelve hours.

Ten men were taken to the Cape. These men were Orville Hedges, Paul Burks, Leon Ungles, Raymond Ferguson, Lloyd Harris, Raymond McKee, Kenneth Swinford, William Smith, Howard Iba, and Riley Davison.

Two Farms Sold.

Two farms northwest of Ravenwood have changed owners recently. Thomas David has sold his 160-acre farm to George David and S. A. Coffelt. Mr. David gets the west half at a consideration of $6,000, and Mr. Coffelt the east half for $3,000. Mrs. Florence Swain has sold her 80-acre farm to Roy Birkenholz, who will move March 1. The consideration was $8,000.—Ravenwood Gazette.

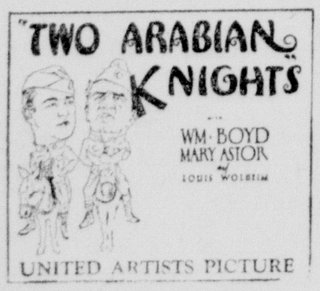
To Move to Kansas.

Mrs. Myrtle Dillon has taken a position in Neosho Falls, Kan., and expects to move there soon.

Here From Amity.

Mrs. Herbert Thompson and daughter, Dorothy Irene, of Amity, are visiting Mrs. T. H. Thompson.

Did you see them last night?



Here is what the Kansas City Star said of them last week while they were showing at the New Midland Theater there:

"You will enjoy this picture because it has a real story value and, while fantastic it could possibly have happened. It is more than a series of gags, such as the Beery-Hatton comedies. Both Mr. Wolheim and Mr. Boyd try to keep their characters human rather than to make them caricatures that have escaped from the funny paper. They are both excellent in their respective characterizations, and Mary Astor is attractive as the original heroine."

Tonight and Tomorrow, 7:30

COLLEGE AUDITORIUM

Admission 10c and 35c

SPRINGFIELD TAKES LEAD

BEARS FIRST BY VIRTUE OF DEFEAT OF WARRENSBURG.

BEARCATS TO CAPE

Reports From Indian Camp Say Three Regulars Are Ineligible, A Fourth May Quit.

As Springfield took undisputed hold on the lead in the M. I. A. A. basketball loop by defeating Warrensburg, 29 to 27, at Warrensburg last night, the Maryville Bearcats entrained on the Wabash for Cape Girardeau, home of the Southeast Teachers College, for a two-game conference series.

With four consecutive defeats by M. I. A. A. teams, the camp of the Cape Indians was not holding strong hopes of bettering its standing against the Northwest Teachers. On the eve of the series with Maryville came reports from Cape Girardeau that the Southeast Teachers had lost three regulars from the basketball team because of scholastic difficulties. Reports also were circulated that a fourth member of the team was leaving school.

The scholastic work of Reames, forward, and Koch, guard, failed to meet the requirements of the conference and it has been announced that they are not eligible to play in future conference games. The case of Gehrs, guard and acting captain, is still under investigation. Koch, who has been one of the main defensive cogs on the Indian five, passed in four subjects, but due to his enrolling in college three weeks late, one hour's credit was deducted under a college ruling providing for this procedure.

Hope, center, who is second high point man on the Indian squad, has said he will return to his home and will not be in school next semester. Reames has been the best basket shooter on the team, making thirty-nine points in four conference tilts. At Warrensburg he annexed six field baskets and four free throws.

Coach Courleux is expected to add Piles and Bidwell, who have not figured in any conference games to date, to the team in hopes of patching up the holes left by his regulars.

Arrangements have been made by the Democrat-Forum and Tribune with the Cape Girardeau Southeast Missourian to receive reports of the game tonight and tomorrow. A call will be made between halves and the box score given after the game.

College High Plays Skidmore Team Here

The College High School basketball team will play the Skidmore High School basketball team at the College gymnasium tonight, Lloyd Hollar, coach of the College team announced today.

The game will start at 7:45 p. m. No admission will be charged.

Bolckow Loses to Pickering, 17 to 13

Game Starts Clean but Ends as Rough and Tumble.—Pickering at Skidmore Tonight.

Pickering defeated Bolckow 17 to 13 at Bolckow last night in what started out as a clean game but ended up as football. Galen McGinness, Pickering forward, suffered an injured finger and had to be taken out in the second quarter and in the second half a man from each team, Harmon of Pickering, and J. Harmon of Bolckow, were sent from the game by the referee.

Pickering took the lead, heading Bolckow 6 to 2 at the quarter and 9 to 6 at the end of the first half. C. Rickard and Hanna, of the Pickering second string, were started but had to be replaced in the second half as the game waxed rougher.

The box score:

Pickering	fg	ft	Bolckow	fg	ft
Harmon, f	2	0	Fuller, f	0	1
C. Rickard, f	0	0	Johnson, f	0	0
G. McGinness, f	3	0	Bodes, c	0	0
Morris, c	2	0	J. Harmon, g	5	1
Hanna, g	0	0	Townsend, g	0	1
O. McGinness, g	1	0	Hagg, g	0	0
B. Rickard, g	0	1	Kennedy, g	0	0
TOTAL	8	1	TOTAL	5	3

Pickering will play Graham on the Skidmore floor tonight.

Miller Bunch Beats Palmer College, 31-16

Hopkins Independent Quintet Downs Albany in Clean Game on Hopkins Court.

The Miller Bunch of Hopkins defeated the Palmer College of Albany basketeers last night at Hopkins in one of the cleanest basketball games played there this year. The final score was 31 to 16.

At the half time the Millers were leading by a long margin, 15 to 2. An entire second string line-up finished the game, easily holding the Collegians to a low tally and doubling the first half score.

Hopkins	fg	ft	Palmer	fg	ft
Baldwin, f	4	0	Ebersole, f	2	1
Wooldridge, f	1	0	Saunders, f	3	0
Davis, f	3	0	Uhlig, c	0	0
Baker, f	0	0	Acres, g	0	0
Turner, c	5	1	Novel, g	0	0
Hanna, g	1	0	Peason, g	0	0
Houston, g	0	0	Kisber, g	2	0
Pistole, g	1	0	Smedike, g	0	1
TOTAL	15	1	TOTAL	7	2

Ted Search, referee.

St. Pats Defeated by Ravenwood Hi Cagers

Maryville Parochial Team Loses 15 to 18 Game on Floor of Maryville High School.

St. Patricks parochial high school basketball team of Maryville was defeated, 18 to 15, by the Ravenwood High School on the Maryville High School court last night.

Warehime, Ravenwood guard, broke through the St. Pat's defense to score seven field baskets, th only Ravenwood player to score from the field. St. Pat's missed its chances to win in the third quarter when sixteen attempts under the basket went awry. It was a return game between the two teas, St. Pat's having been defeated pryiously on the Ravnwood floor.

Th box score:

St. Pat's	fg	ft	Ravenwood	fg	ft
Berg, f	1	2	Beedle, f	0	0
Conway, f	1	1	West, f	0	0
Yeaman, f	0	0	Wildish, f	0	0
A. Kill, g	3	0	Moore, c	0	1
M. Kill, g	0	1	Warehime, g	7	2
Robey, g	0	0	Newberry, g	0	0
Madden, g	0	1	Kessler, g	0	0
TOTAL	5	5	TOTAL	7	4

Ora Petty, referee.

Sport Tabloids

By United Press

Warrensburg, Mo.—Springfield teachers defeated the Warresburg teachers, 29 to 27, here last night in one of the fastest games in the conference this season.

Kirksville, Mo.—The Cook Paint basketball team of Kansas City defeated the Kirksville teachers, 38 to 19, here last night.

Manhattan, Kan.—Mike Ahearn, director of athletics at Kansas State Agricultural College, was to leave today for the east to "look around" for a football coach for the Aggies.

Chicago — Fred Blake and Percy Jones, Chicago Cubs, pitchers, have signed their 1928 contracts.

Los Angeles—Frank Hogan was fined $50 when he pleaded guilty to possession of a San Diego newspaper, containing a racing chart. Possession of a racing chart is a violation of a city ordinance.

Indianapolis, Ind.—Evidencing the profit in city owned golf courses, four municipal links here supplied the city with an income of $68,790.45, during 1927.

Paris—Denmark entered the Davis Cup challenge round in the European zone. Twenty three countries have entered the European zone and four in the American.

New York, Earl Sande, leading American jockey, returned aboard the Aquitania from a two-months trip of Europe where he made a tour of race tracks on the continent.

Henry Boedecker and son, Gerald, of Parnell, were in Maryville yesterday.

STORK BEATS PHYSICIAN TO HOTEL HERE

Son Is Born to Young Couple Registering Last Night at the Bainum.

A young couple, the man appearing to be about 20 years old, and the woman hardly 17, registered at the Bainum Hotel early last night. They were given one of the best rooms, No. 5, by J. D. England, clerk.

Mr. England did not give the young persons another thought until after 3 o'clock this morning, he was awakened by the young husband in room No. 5.

"My wife is seriously ill, will you call a doctor."

Mr. England called several physicians' homes, but could not locate anyone for several minutes. Meanwhile the young man returned to the first floor and asked for Mrs. England to give assistance.

The physician at last arrived at the hotel, but ten minutes before his arrival a large baby boy was added to the list of hotel guests.

OVERCOAT SALE

Biggest of the Year!

IF you've been waiting for a real overcoat sale to come along, this is it—

—if you've been wavering between buying a new overcoat this season, or making your old one do another winter, this settles the question for you!

We've got one of the greatest collections of overcoats ever seen under one roof, and this sale sees them all included and all reduced in price—in some instances almost to cost.

Reductions

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CUT FLOWERS

Sweet Peas, per dozen	50c
Snap Dragons, per dozen	$1.50 and $2.00
Roses, per dozen	$3.00, $4.00 and $5.00
Lilies, per dozen	$5.00
Carnations, all colors, dozen	$2.00
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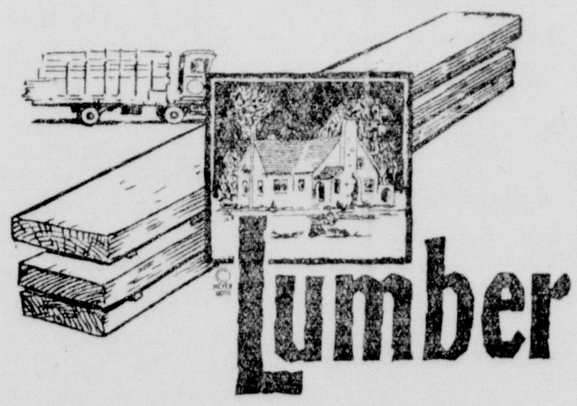

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